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STRIKE SITUATION WORLD OVER

Strike of railroad employees ties up nineteen railway systems in Sweden.

General strike at Buenos Aires paralyzes all trans-Atlantic shipping.

London tube employees strike, tieing up city's transportation system.

British Cabinet meets to consider strike, but declines to have government intervene at present.

Troops maintain order at Glasgow, but situation grows more serious at Belfast, where candles have been only light for eight days.

Newly formed union of postoffice, telephone and telegraph employees of French government demand 100 per cent. salary increase on threat of strike.

Seattle abandons hope of averting general walkout Thursday.

Majority of unions in Tacoma refuse to join sympathetic strike.

RAIL TIE-UP IN SWEDEN

Serious Strike on Nineteen Lines.

Trans-Atlantic Shipping at Buenos Aires Continues to be Paralyzed.

Strike Government Employes Demand Hundred Per Cent. Raise.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 3.—A serious railway strike has broken out in Sweden. Workmen last night ceased work on nineteen different lines.

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 3.—Notwithstanding the official announcement of the Maritime Federation that the port strike has been settled, trans-Atlantic shipping remains paralyzed because the stevedores refuse to work for less than 7 pesos [illegible] hour day.

Shipping agents are unable to obtain passenger or cargo vessels to depart. River traffic has practically resumed, but no transatlantic shipping is moving.

PARIS, Feb. 3.—The newly-formed union of employees of the Postoffice, Telegraph and Telephone Depart; met today at the office of the general labor confederation to hear the report of a delegation sent to the ministry to demand an increase of 100 per cent. in wages. When the report was heard the surprise was so great that there was some moments of impressive silence.

The Ministry of Posts, Telegraph and Telephone has a bill prepared for Parliament by which all wages would be raised 200 per cent. up to 5000 francs yearly, which latter salary would become 12,000 francs annually. Wages above that figure would be raised on a graduated scale.

Under the bill women's wages would be the same as for men for the same kind of work. The 200 per cent. increase provided for in the bill is provisional and may be increased by 50 per cent. successively if the cost of living continues to increase, or the amount may be re-

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BRITAIN IN UNION GRIP

London Tubes Men Join Strikers.

Entire Transportation System of the Capital may be Paralyzed.

Cabinet Refuses to Intervene in Labor Troubles at Present Time.

BY HENRY M. HYDE.

[ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Without notice the motormen on the great underground railways of London went on strike this morning. Tonight all the underground lines are tied up.

More than 400,000 passengers use the tubes daily and their shutting down swamped the famous London busses and the suburban trains of the London district steam railway.

Many people who work in the financial district, called "the city" walked until noon to reach their offices. The women who act as conductors on the buses were almost swept off their feet by the flood of pedestrians fighting for a chance to ride.

The eight-hour work day for the tube motormen began only last week. They strike now because they are not paid for the half hour out of eight which is devoted to luncheon.

BUSSES TO QUIT.

Tonight it seems almost certain that the motormen on the busses will strike tomorrow in support of the tube strikers.

There are also threats that the engineers and other trainmen on the steam suburban trains will join the strike. That would tie up practically all the transportation facilities of London.

H. J. Oxlade, one of the officials of the Locomotive Engineers and Firemen's Union declares:

"The men on the big national railways all over the United Kingdom are in full sympathy with us and are prepared to cease work, if necessary, in support of the principle we are out for."

The strike of the whole of the national transport workers' union has been threatened for weeks and has been only with difficulty postponed pending action by the Lloyd George government. It is not unlikely that today's strike of the tube motormen,

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THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., velocity 9 miles. Thermometer, 50 [illegible]; lowest, 41 deg. Forecast Tuesday, fair. Moderate northerly winds. For complete data see last page of this

CITY. Attorney for "Thomas" admitted client is a son of magnate Litch of Pittsburgh confessed under threats a secret marriage which he reported to the District Attorney's office.

Missing Arizona woman was said to have been drugged and held a week in a hotel by two men, of whom was arrested.

Would-be bandit tried to hold up a grocery store, but proprietor threw tomatoes to secure the help of police and the robber fled.

Official figures showed the flu epidemic practically vanquished without use of masks and the Physicians Advisory Committee reported [illegible] an ordinance making muzzles [illegible].

Chicago banker joined the [illegible] and brilliant social [illegible] being arranged to honor [illegible] and his wife.

Plans for an international aeronautic exposition, the greatest [illegible] were announced, the affair to be staged at Rockwell Field [illegible] anniversary.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA. Shipping [illegible] Cargo of cotton [illegible] to be dispatched to Europe and [illegible].

Mrs. Wrigley, Jr., member of [illegible] Memorial Committee, now [illegible] favors building monument [illegible] that it will take an [illegible] to reach top.

MARE ISLAND SLOPE. Unions declare [illegible] man in Seattle will [illegible] Monday in sympathy with [illegible] workers. Between 40,000 and [illegible] effected besides 25,000 [illegible] employees already on [illegible].

WASHINGTON. Reds' meeting in Washington flayed by Senator Thomas as treasonable gathering of criminals and traitors. Congressman Mason denounced for participation.

Grain men testifying before House committee urge government to stand loss on guaranteed wheat prices and allow trading to return to pre-war conditions.

Susan B. Anthony resolution for national enfranchisement of women to be brought before Senate next Monday in final effort to secure passage this session.

Edward C. Lasater, testifying before House committee, charges that Hoover and Houston aided meat packers to obtain monopolistic control.

Director-General Hines of Railways tells Senators his views on railroads; urges few big companies under government supervision instead of government ownership.

House and Senate conferees agree on final provision of oil lands leasing bill after five years' discussion; fifty million acres of mineral lands affected; to open California oil fields.

Fortieth "Sunshine" Division is assigned for early convoy home; practically all infantry units of organization, including California men, to come.

FOREIGN. British Cabinet convenes to consider strike situation, but still opposes government intervention; troops maintain order in Glasgow; candles only light in Belfast.

Nineteen railways in Sweden tied up by strike; trans-Atlantic shipping continues paralyzed at Buenos Aires. Newly formed union of French government employees demands hundred per cent. salary increase.

Only 128 American soldiers out of more than two million are held in Paris jails for offenses against military law; serious charges are few.

American delegates fail to answer plea of associated nations that America assume control of Armenia and other provinces detached from Turkish rule in near east.

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American Girl May Become Queen.

At top, Duchess de Braganza (formerly Miss Anita Stewart of Chicago) and her daughter, who may become royal by the elevation of Don Miguel Braganza to the throne of Portugal. The former King Manuel (lower photo) is expected to make an effort to regain the crown should the present monarchist rebellion in Portugal succeed in overthrowing the republican government.

FORMER CHICAGO GIRL IS A POSSIBLE QUEEN.

HUSBAND BOUGHT AS PRINCE IS NOW IN LINE FOR THE THRONE OF PORTUGAL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—A former Chicago girl who spent millions to get an European title may prove to have obtained a real bargain in that line. The husband who went with the title did not receive much consideration at the time. Now he is mentioned as in line for the throne of Portugal. If the events come to pass as outlined, the Chicago girl's purchase will bring her a king for a husband and a royal state for herself. This should boom the European marriage business for a while.

The Duchess de Braganza, that is the title purchased, was formerly Miss Anita Stewart of Chicago and New York. She was the step-daughter of the late James Henry ("Silent") Smith, who at the time of his death bequeathed her $500,000, leaving the bulk of his fortune to his wife, mother of the princess.

Dom Miguel de Braganza, the husband that went with the title, is son and heir of Dom Miguel, pretender to the Portuguese throne. Both father and son, with his family, reside in Vienna, where they had the patronage of the late Emperor Francis Joseph.

Portugal is a republic at present, but the monarchists have begun a rebellion which is gaining consider-

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MONARCHISTS IN PORTUGAL LOSE.

Republicans Reported Marching on Oporto, Royalist Stronghold.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Portuguese monarchist troops are retiring toward Estarreja, with the intention of falling back to Oporto, following their defeat at Agueda, in the province of Beira. The royalists are reported to have lost heavily.

MADRID, Feb. 3.—In a skirmish between Portuguese republicans and monarchist forces the monarchists were defeated with the loss of fifty killed and 200 wounded. The town of Chaves, reports from the Portuguese frontier add, is still held by the republicans, who are reported to be marching on Oporto, the monarchist stronghold.

TAKE FOOD TO VIENNA.

American Soldiers are Welcomed.

Troops Guarding Shipment of Flour are First Yankees to Enter City.

Twelve Hundred Tons of Rations are Received by Austrian Capital.

BY LADISLAV CZAPSKI.

[ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VIENNA, Feb. 1 (via Paris, Feb. 3.)—Vienna's downtown streets got a fresh splash of khaki while the pretty, gay Viennese damsels received a real thrill when a hundred American doughboys in numerous small groups appeared among the crowds of pedestrians late this afternoon, after handing over to the Vienna municipal authorities four trainloads of American flour with which they had reached the town from Fiume in the course of the day.

Only those in touch with the members of Alonzo E. Taylor's food mission knew this shipment of flour, in all more than 1200 tons, would reach Vienna as America's first contribution to relieve the famine in the Austrian capital, so that at first there was no end of speculation among the people as to the identity of the visitors.

The boys told me that as they were on the way from Fiume through the Jugo-Slav territories they were taken for Australians, new Zealanders, South Africans, Greeks, even Swedes and Swiss. But soon word went along Kaerntner street that the strangers hailed from the United States. Then the doughboys took the hearts of the Viennese by storm.

SOME COMPLAINTS.

Eager crowds gathered around immediately wherever a couple of soldiers stopped at a corner. Most of them looked on smiling, but silent, and only those who managed English besieged the Americans with questions, told their troubles, and complained of the food and coal scarcity. The boys looked fresh, spick and span, despite their tiresome journey, but they explained that this always was so with the Three Hundred and Thirty-second Infantry Regiment, to which all of them belonged and of which they are proud. Most of the men were from Ohio, principally Cleveland and Cincinnati.

In talks with a dozen of the fellows I found that their uppermost wish is to get back home. They think Vienna is a fine town and would like to stay were it not that Fiume is nearer home, affording a better chance to be sent back.

As each train arrived and the flour was delivered to the care of the Vienna authorities its guard of twenty-five men hurried to the center of the town, where the entire escort is quartered in a vacant school off the principal street.

TOMMIES THERE.

In the same building live about a hundred Tommies belonging to the various British missions. Both doughboys and Tommies are well supplied with rations, but as a mark of friendship, bully beef and corned beef tins waited at each man's plate when the members of the British and American parties assembled for supper.

With a few exceptions, both the Americans and British come from the Italian front where they went through the Italian offensive. When the fighting was over the Three Hundred and Thirty-second Regiment was scattered to various points, among them Fiume, where one battalion is stationed. Another battalion was sent to Montenegro.

The flour which was brought today is destined exclusively for Vienna, whose authorities made special arrangement for the shipment with the American food mission.

Col. William B. Causey, a member of the mission, told me today that there was for the moment no prospect of further shipments from the United States for Vienna. It is recognized that the 1200 tons will disappear like camphor among the famished populace, which now is bigger by more than a million than in the pre-war times, owing to the steady influx of refugees from all parts of the former monarchy. Today's shipment will be carefully rationed to those who need it the most urgently.

AMERICANS DUE.

The Americans living in Vienna will get only what is their due. No special provision was made to help them, but they are taking action on their own account to get food from the Czecho-Slovaks who hinted their readiness to send rations of meat, flour, cheese and even cream and sugar to the recently-formed committee at the head of which are Sigismund Falk, the chairman; Lincoln T. Judd, the secretary, and George Weber.

The committee has prepared a list of seventy-five households comprising more than 200 mouths. Most of these are naturalized Americans, while some have only their first papers, but the scheme is to feed all on equal terms.

COMPLETE FOOD INQUIRY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Hugh S. Gibson, Capt. T. T. C. Ferguson and other representatives of the Inter-Allied food relief commission returned to Paris today to make a report to Herbert Hoover, director-general of the commission, after several weeks' travel through Poland, Austria-Hungary, Czecho-Slovakia, Jugo-Slavia and Serbia.

"Coal is now the most pressing need in Czecho-Slovakia, Austria and Hungary," said Capt. Ferguson, "and, without an increased fuel supply, food relief on a large scale is impossible. Only one-tenth of the possible number of trains are operating in Austria and Hungary be-

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SAYS CIGARETTE DIDN'T WIN WAR.

Methodist Resents Haloing of Weed, but Won't Ask National Taboo.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Cigarettes were forced on American soldiers not previously accustomed to them, according to Dr. Clarence True Wilson, general secretary of the board of temperance, prohibition and public morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the fact has aroused the indignation of millions of people, who "resent with indignation the placarding of the country with giant signs saying that 'cigarettes have won the war.'"

There will be, however, no demand on the part of the victorious prohibitionists for a constitutional amendment against tobacco.

BOCHES TOLD CHILLY RECEPTION IN STORE.

AMERICANS FOR CONVENIENCE GIVEN NO ENCOURAGEMENT AT COBLENZ.

By Parke Brown.

[ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

COBLENZ, Feb. 3 (via Paris, Feb. 3.)—When the correspondent entered one of the headquarters offices today the captain was just completing what appeared to have been an interesting lecture to a German civilian.

"Just take my tip," he said, "and stay right here in Germany, where you belong. They are laying for you fellows back in the States, and you are a whole lot safer right here."

The auditor clicked his heels, saluted and retired.

"What's the matter with that bird?" asked the correspondent, and the captain explained.

"He's another of those damned Boches that we call 'American citizens for convenience.' We have had about a dozen wanting passports to the United States. They were born in Germany, went into the United States and took out citizenship papers, and then, according to their stories, either 'happened to be over here when the war started,' or were forced to return and join the German army. Some fought all four years.

"Now they know that hard times are ahead for Germany, and want to go back to America, where it is comparatively soft picking. I suppose they will even send American money back to help pay the indemnity.

"There are others who merely took their first papers and quit right there, without a thought of becoming citizens. It was merely convenient for them to be able to say they had applied for citizenship. They also say they love the United States better than Germany, but don't you believe it. You don't hear of any refusing to turn their machine guns on American troops.

"Of course, we have nothing to do with passports here, but we don't tell the Boche soldiers that without first telling them the sort of welcome that awaits them in the States if they go."

The only case that aroused any sympathy at headquarters was that of a young German who had declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, but who was taken off a vessel on which he was a sailor by the British, who refused to recognize him as anything but a German subject.

He was interned in England and recently deported to Germany. He made his way to the American bridgehead to present a plea for a passport, but even he was not encouraged.

A number of German women also have been told things would not be pleasant for them in America.

RUMELY LOSES FIGHT TO AVOID HUN TRIAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—A writ of habeas corpus obtained to prevent the removal to Washington of Dr. Edward A. Rumley, formerly publisher of the New York Evening Mail, to plead to an indictment charging failure to report properly alleged to be owned by the German government, was dismissed in Federal District Court here today by Judge Mayer. Dr. Rumley is also under indictment in this city on a similar charge, and is at liberty on $36,000 bail.

Judge Mayer found that the New York and Washington indictments are for separate offenses, and that "the prosecuting officers should not be asked to determine which indictment to move first until after defendant shall have finally pleaded to the Washington indictment.

VAUDEVILLE COMBINE INVESTIGATION BEGUN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The Federal Trade Commission today began an investigation here into charges that the Vaudeville Managers' Protective Association, an organization comprising a majority of the owners and operators of the country's vaudeville theaters, is a monopoly in restraint of trade, and that it oppressed and "blacklisted" vaudeville actors who violated its regulations. Charles B. Moore of Washington presided at the hearing, at which witnesses testified.

Patrick Casey, general manager of the defendant organization, identified a list of actors as prepared at his direction. His list was sent to various booking agencies, Casey testified, to advise them that the persons named "were irresponsible and could not be depended upon to fill any contract they might enter into."

PRESIDENT URGES GREAT NAVY AS DIPLOMACY AID.

Mysterious Cablegram is Received by Democrats Considering the Bill; Republicans are Curious.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Discussion of two interesting phases of President Wilson's diplomacy at the Peace Conference, affecting profoundly the interests of the United States, will figure prominently in the debate on the administration big-navy bill scheduled to open in the House tomorrow:

The discussion will turn on these two incidents:

The receipt by the House Committee on Naval Affairs of a mysterious secret cablegram from the President asserting that the failure of the bill to create the greatest navy in the world might prove fatal to his endeavors at the Peace Conference.

The refusal of the President to permit the resumption of shipbuilding for foreign account, by virtue of which Great Britain will be enabled to outbuild European competitors in merchant marine.

Representative Padgett, chairman of the Committee on Naval Affairs, will be called upon to disclose to the House the contents of the President's cablegram or to state the reasons for its suppression.

In deference to the express wishes of the President every effort has been made to preserve secrecy in regard to the message. Members of the committee were sworn to secrecy before the communication was divulged to them by Chairman Padgett.

CLOAKROOM GOSSIP.

That such a message was received, however, soon became cloakroom gossip and gradually the general purport of the President's representations became known. It is said that the President informed the committee of what he is endeavoring to accomplish in Paris, presumably in connection with that plank of his peace platform calling for the reduction of naval armament by the powers. He set forth in what respects the passage of the bill providing for the greatest navy in the world would advance his plans to bring the nations into agreement on the disarmament principle.

In characteristic manner the President informed the committee that unless this legislation be enacted he could not answer for the success of his great undertaking. The cablegram produced the effect on the committee desired by the President. The fate of the bill had been in doubt with the Democratic majority divided on the wisdom of embarking upon the project of building a navy equal to if not stronger than that of the mistress of the seas. When the President's message was read, however, the Democratic opposition melted away and the bill was favorably reported to the House. Republican members were not deeply impressed. They classed this appeal of the President with his mysterious admonition to Congress in 1914 that unless the Panama Canal tolls provision were not repealed he would not know how "to deal with other matters of even greater delicacy" and also his assurance given the Senate that the woman suffrage amendment was vital to the winning of the war.

PORTRAYED AS THREAT.

While Secretary of the Navy Daniels portrayed the plan to build a great navy as a threat which would be carried out unless the nations agreed to the reduction of armament some members of the Naval Committee have reason to believe that the proposal is conceived as less a threat than a favor to Great Britain.

Several months ago Representative Butler of the committee interviewed Lloyd George in London. The British Premier frankly urged the building of a vast navy by the United States.

"What will you be building while we are building battleships?" inquired Mr. Butler.

"Merchant ships," said Lloyd George.

The Premier expressed perfect willingness that the United States should build a great navy and relieve Great Britain of chief responsibility for policing the world and maintaining freedom of the seas.

The refusal to build ships for foreign account grew out of an agreement between the United States and Great Britain to conserve tonnage for the transport of American troops. England was to furnish 3,000,000 transport tonnage and America 500,000 additional. England made good. America did not. The agreement was terminated, but the President refused to permit American yards to resume building foreign ships.

Great Britain is getting these foreign contracts and the President's attitude is viewed by some as an effort to favor England.

ILLEGAL MONOPOLY IN CORN SYRUP CHARGED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Charging illegal combination in restraint of trade, by means of which a monopoly was effected in corn syrup and other ingredients used in the manufacture of candy and preserves, the D. J. O'Brien Company of Omaha brought suit in Federal Court here today against the Corn Products Refining Company and a score of other defendants for $172,799 damages.

The complaint asserted that, in violation of the Sherman Anti-trust Act, the defendants fixed prices and obtained rebates from railroads from 1905 to 1915.

ANNOUNCE NAVAL REORGANIZATION

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—With the Atlantic fleet ready to depart tomorrow from Hampton Roads for Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, for its first maneuvers since the nation entered the war, the Navy Department tonight published a detailed statement showing the reorganization of the force with the composition of the Pacific and Asiatic fleets. Attached to the Atlantic organization are a cruiser squadron and a great fleet of destroyers, as well as submarine and mine squadrons, a large supply train and an air detachment.

Battleship force No. 2, commanded by Vice-Admiral H. B. Wilson, is the main fighting force of the nation and in it are all of the dreadnaughts now in commission—fifteen in number. A sixteenth, the Tennessee, soon to be completed, also is attached, making four divisions of four ships each.

In battleship force No. 1, under Vice-Admiral A. W. Grant, are twenty-four of the older battleships of the navy, ranging from the Iowa, Indiana and Massachusetts, of Spanish war fame, to the Michigan and South Carolina, the first all-big-gun ships of the navy, but not of sufficient gun power or tonnage to be rated as dreadnaughts.

Most of the ships of battleship force No. 1 are employed in bringing troops home from France, while others are assigned for training engineers for the merchant marine. During the spring maneuvers, however, some of this force will be employed at gunnery exercises.

MAYO'S FLAGSHIP.

Admiral Henry T. Mayo, commander of the Atlantic fleet, retains his flag on the dreadnaught Pennsylvania. The ships of this force are attached to squadron 3, Rear-Admiral Hugh Rodman commanding, and are organized into divisions 5, 6, 7 and 8, with ships of similar speed and gun power assigned to each division as far as possible. In division 5, commanded by Rear-Admiral E. W. Eberle, are the Utah, Delaware, North Dakota and Florida; in division 6, Admiral Rodman, commanding, are the New York, Texas, Wyoming and Arkansas; in division 7, Rear-Admiral R. E. Coontz, commanding, the Tennessee (to be commissioned,) Idaho, Oklahoma and Nevada, and in division 8, Vice-Admiral H. B. Wilson, commanding, are the New Mexico, Arizona, Mississippi and Pennsylvania.

Battleship force No. 1 is similarly organized on the basis of the characteristics of the ships and the division commanders are Rear-Admirals C. B. Brittain, H. A. Miley, Rogers Wells, Thomas Washington, W. R. Shoemaker and Vice-Admiral Grant, who also commands the force.

CRUISER FORCE.

As now organized, the cruiser force, commanded by Vice-Admiral Albert H. Gleaves, is composed of three divisions with Capts. J. R. W. Blakely, G. R. Bradshaw and W. L. Littlefield in divisional commands. In the first division are the Seattle, North Carolina, Montana and Huntington; in the second the Pittsburgh, Pueblo, Frederick and South Dakota, and in the third the Charleston, St. Louis and Rochester. Some of these ships also are engaged in bringing troops from France.

Assigned to the destroyer force under Rear-Admiral C. P. Plunkett are 285 vessels, including several indicated only by their building number. They are grouped in thirty-three divisions averaging about six destroyers to a division with the scout cruisers Birmingham, Salem and Chester as flagships of the three flotillas into which the whole force is divided. Rear-Admiral A. P. Robertson on the Salem commands flotilla 2. In this and in flotilla 3 are grouped the newest and swiftest destroyers.

The mine force of the fleet, commanded by Rear-Admiral Joseph Strauss, is composed of a mine-laying squadron including the old cruisers San Francisco and Baltimore and the steamers Aroostook and Shawmut and three divisions of mine sweepers.

FLEET TRAIN.

The fleet train, commanded by Rear-Admiral H. P. Huse, flagship U.S.S. Supply, is composed of three store and ammunition ships, three hospital ships, two supply ships and eighteen fuel ships.

Organization of the submarine craft of the fleet is not given.

The Pacific fleet, Admiral W. S. Caperton, is shown to include the armored cruisers Denver and Tacoma and the protected cruiser Cleveland in division 1 and in division 2, Rear-Admiral W. F. Fullam, are the battleship Oregon, cruiser Minneapolis, and the gunboats Vicksburg, Rainier, Bradbill, Bay Ocean, Challenge, Marblehead, Forward and Yorktown.

The Asiatic fleet, Rear-Admiral W. L. Rodgers, has two divisions in which are the old cruisers Brooklyn, New Orleans and Albany and twelve gunboats. With this fleet also are nine of the oldest submarines in the navy, with the old monitor Monadnock as mother ship.

American Mandatory for Armenia and Turkish Provinces is Unanimous Wish of Allies

AGREE TO RUSH LEAGUE DETAILS

Conference Committee Formulates Definite Plans.

Council Furthers Preparations for Relief Measures.

Lansing Heads Board to Fix Guilt for War.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—President Wilson presided at the opening meeting of the League of Nations Commission held in Col. House's apartments this afternoon from 2 ot 5 o'clock.

Special interest attached to the meeting owing to the feeling that the action of the council in the matter of the former German colonies required the early presentation of a definite plan on the constitution of the league. There were present for the United States President Wilson, Col. House and Mr. Miller, technical expert; for Great Britain, Lord Robert Cecil and Gen. Smuts; for France, Leon Bourgeois and Ferdinand Larnaude; for Italy, Premier Orlando; for Japan, Baron Chinda, as well as delegates from Belgium, Serbia, Brazil, Portugal and China.

President Wilson greeted the members and took a leading part in the discussion. This was no longer general, but specific, as the meeting had before it the printed text of the agreed plan for the formation of the league. The text was in English, as had been decided upon at a recent meeting between President Wilson, Lord Robert Cecil, Gen. Smuts and Premier Orlando.

As some of the members of the commission do not speak English, it was determined to defer full discussion until the French text could be presented, when the debate will proceed article by article. This probably will be tomorrow night.

Although the agreed text seeks to bring together the views of all quarters, there are three other plans which will also be considered at the next meeting.

DAY'S COMMUNIQUE.

The following official communication was issued on today's meeting:

"The commission met to compare views on procedure and to arrive at a method which will facilitate progress. It was agreed that an accord in principle had been reached by the resolution previously passed by the conference, and that the discussion should proceed accordingly at the next meeting, which is called for 8:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Hotel de Crillon."

President Wilson this evening delivered an address in the Chamber of Deputies, having as audience President Poincare, the presidents of the Chamber and the Senate, many members of both houses of Parliament and the personnel of the French Cabinet.

The President was accompanied to the Palais Bourbon by President Poincare, who called for him at the Murat mansion. Premier Clemenceau and M. Dubost, Speaker of the Senate, also were in the party, which reached the Palais Bourbon exactly at 5 o'clock.

PARTY RECEIVED.

Paul Deschanel received the party on the steps of the building, standing bareheaded in the damp and chilly weather. The party then disappeared into the chamber. M. Deschanel leading the way, with President Poincare and President Wilson walking side by side and M. Dubost and M. Clemenceau bringing up the rear.

M. Deschanel opened the sitting with a short, but eloquent, speech of welcome, to which President Wilson replied in English, an interpreter translating.

As President Wilson rose and walked toward the tribune with a quick step, the Deputies, Senators and others arose and cheered and applauded for fully five minutes. The audience insisted on hearing the President's address standing. M. Poincare, Clemenceau and Dubost also stood. This seemed to embarrass President Wilson, who made gestures that the Deputies remain seated, but they shouted: "Standing! We will hear you standing!"

President Wilson turned to M. Deschanel, begging him to request that the Deputies be seated, but the president of the Chamber shrugged his shoulders as if helpless, and President Wilson began in a low voice, which gained force as he proceeded.

There was a ripple of applause now and then as he was speaking, but the majority of the Deputies and Senators were unable to understand English clearly; thus the enthusiasm did not break out until the interpreter translated the speech. Then Deputies and Senators gave full vent to their feelings.

A commission on control will be sent immediately to Teschen, Austrian Silesia, to prevent a conflict between the Czechs and the Poles in the region of Teschen, and also to inquire into the basis for a frontier decision at the Peace Conference.

The much discussed question whether British dominions shall have separate representation as national units in a society of nations is understood to have been settled favorably so far as Great Britain is concerned. It is said complete agreement has been reached that self-governing dominions have the same status as any other nation. The final decision rests with the Peace Conference, but representatives of the dominions expect no objections there, as Great Britain is supporting them.

No answer has been returned by the American peace delegates to what is said to be an almost unanimous desire of the other powers that the United States undertake to act as mandatory for Armenia and the other severed provinces of Turkey. Some of the American delegates say they are disposed to resist this development of the plan for mandatories, holding that it is the business of Europe to look after the Europeans and the people of the Near East.

The argument used by the other powers is based upon the unlimited confidence of other governments and because it is known that the United States has no territorial aspirations. Furthermore, it is argued that the confidence of the Armenians and other peoples of the provinces affected, through the long-extended influence of Roberts College at Constantinople, is a strong reason for the participation of America as the mandatory power.

Before the American attitude can be determined upon it is held to be necessary to await the development of the project of its completion by the commission of the Peace Conference which meets today, to merge the various plans for the creation of the society of nations.

REFUSE RUSS PARLEY.

The government of Georgia, in Trans-Caucasia, has declined the invitation sent out by wireless from the Peace Conference to the Russian factions to attend a conference. The declination was made on the ground that Georgia already had achieved her independence and was no longer a portion of Russia, so that she was not interested in the success.

Further progress with arrangements for supplying food to the territories where the need is urgent has been made by the inter-Allied supreme council of supply and relief. An official statement says the council at its third session on Saturday "dealt with arrangements for supplying the territories occupied by the Allied armies on the left bank of the Rhine with immediate measures in conjunction with the Red Cross for the distribution of food to Russian, Serbian and Rumanian prisoners in Germany, and with the best means of supplying the Czecho-Slovaks."

LANSING HONORED.

Robert Lansing, the American Secretary of State, was unanimously elected president of the committee on responsibility for the war which held its first meeting today at the Foreign Office.

In proposing Secretary Lansing's name, Capt. Andre Tardieu, the French member of the committee, said that before regulating a peace of justice it was necessary to impose penalties upon the authors of the aggressions which had brought death to millions.

The work of the committee, he explained, would be first to study the facts which would establish the guilt of those responsible for premeditated violation of treaties and international law, and, second, to fix the penalties which would be defined and applied. He closed by proposing Secretary Lansing for president, which was approved by the committee.

GREEKS' CLAIMS.

Premier Venizelos of Greece was before the supreme council of the Peace Conference at its session this morning and made a statement on the claims of Greece.

Premier Venizelos will continue his presentation of the case of Greece at tomorrow morning's session of the council. The Czecho-Slovak delegates will again be heard at tomorrow's session, it was announced.

The Greek claims, as presented by Premier Venizelos, who was accompanied by Nicholas Politis, the Greek Foreign Minister, embrace Northern Epirus, Thrace down the Dardanelles, including Constantinople and the sea front along western Asia Minor, with Smyrna as its commercial and geographical center.

M. Venizelos maintained that the Greek race largely predominated in these regions.

If the society of nations became a reality, however, the Premier suggested that the international importance of Constantinople might make advisable the internationalization of the city under the protection of the society, which should select the governor.

DISCUSS CHILD WELFARE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Miss Julia C. Lathrop, chief of the child welfare division of the United States Department of Labor, has held conferences here relative to an international child welfare conference to be held in the United States in April. She will soon leave for Rome, where she will continue her mission. She has been authorized to invite a certain number of persons to the conference as guests of the American government.

FRANCIS IN PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—David R. Francis, the American Ambassador to Russia, arrived here today from London. The Ambassador has completely recovered from his recent operation.

PERU ENVOY ASSAILS DOCTRINE OF MIGHT.

VARELA DECLARES PEACE CONFERENCE MUST SETTLE LATIN CONTROVERSY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Settlement of disputes of the old world without giving attention to the controversies of the Western Hemisphere would be contrary to the spirit of the times, Dr. Francisco Tudelay Varela, Peruvian Minister to the United States, said today in urging solution by the Peace Conference of the long pending controversy between Peru and Chile as to possession of the provinces of Tacna and Arica.

"The United States having lent up Europe its powerful co-operation towards the destruction in the old continent of the doctrines of might, cannot allow this same doctrine to prevail in South America," the Minister said. "The time has come when the fullest light must be thrown on the controversy between Peru and Chile. Ethical proofs and concrete facts constitute overwhelming accusations against Chile."

Chile was charged by Dr. Varela with keeping "in subjection the Peruvian provinces of Tacna and Arica as well as a part of Tarata," with collecting excessive duties from the conquered territories, and with violation of the treaty of Ancon through failure to hold a plebiscite in the two disputed provinces.

COMMERCE REOPENED WITH MESOPOTAMIA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Commerce with those parts of Mesopotamia under Allied military control has been resumed, and communication reopened, the War Trade Board announced today.

The board will also consider licenses for shipments to and from Rumania and Serbia.

Briton Awarded American Medal.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The American Distinguished Service Medal has been awarded by President Wilson to Lieut. Francis W. Craven. Lieut. Craven commanded the British destroyer Mounsey, which saved 600 American soldiers, from the British transport Otranto, when she was sunk in a collision off the Scottish coat on October 6, 1918, with the loss of 357 American soldiers. The medal was presented to Lieut. Craven at Chatham today by Maj.-Gen. John Biddle, commander of the American forces in the United Kingdom.

WILSON VOICES LOVE OF FRANCE

Tributes from America Paid to Associated Nation.

Comradeship is Promised for Years of Future.

President Addresses Deputies Assembled in Chamber.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—President Wilson today addressed the Chamber of Deputies and its guests, including President Poincare and other notables of France. The address was arranged by a committee of the Chamber and President Poincare accompanied President Wilson to the Chamber, where the speech was delivered. All present arose when the President began speaking and despite his gestures to be seated, all remained standing till he had finished.

He spoke as follows:

"I am keenly aware of the unusual and distinguished honor you are paying me by permitting me to meet you in this place and to address you from this historic platform.

"Indeed, Sir, as day has followed day and week has followed week in this hospitable land of France, I have felt the sense of comradeship ever become more and more intimate and it has seemed to me that the making of history was becoming singularly clear.

"We knew before this war Began that France and America were united in affection. We knew the occasions which drew the two nations together in these years, which now seem so far away, when the world was first beginning to thrill with the impulse of human liberty, when the soldiers of France came to help the struggling little republic of America to get on its feet and proclaim one of the first victories of freedom.

NEVER FORGOTTEN.

"We have never forgotten that, but we did not see the full meaning of it. A hundred years and more went by and the spindles were slowly weaving the web of history. We did not see the complete, the whole of the design to be made plain.

"Now look what has happened! In that far-off day, when France came to the assistance of America, America was fighting Great Britain. And now she is linked as closely to Great Britain as she is to France. We see now how these apparently diverging lines of history are coming together. The nations, which once stood in battle array against one another, are now shoulder to shoulder, fighting a common enemy.

"It was a long time before we saw that, and in the last four years something has happened that is unprecedented in the history of mankind. It was nothing less than this—that the bodies of men on both sides of the sea and in all parts of the world have come to realize their comradeship of freedom.

AT FRONTIER.

"France, in the meantime, as we have so often said, stood at the frontier of freedom. Her lines lay along the very lines that divided the home of freedom from the home of military despotism. Hers was the immediate peril. Hers was the constant dread. Hers was the most pressing necessity of preparation, and she had constantly to ask herself this question: 'If the blow falls, who will come to my assistance?'

"And the question was answered in the most unexpected way. Her allies came to her assistance, but many more than her allies. The free peoples of the world came to her assistance.

"And in this way America paid her debt of gratitude to France by sending her sons to fight upon the soil of France. She did more. She assisted in drawing the forces of the world together in order that France might never again feel her isolation; in order that France might never feel that hers was a lonely peril and would never again have to ask the question who would come to her assistance.

THE ALTERNATIVE.

"For the alternative is a terrible alternative for France. I do not need to point out to you that east of you in Europe the future is full of question. Beyond the Rhine, across Germany, across Poland, across Russia, across Asia, there are questions unanswered and they may be for the present unanswerable.

"France still stands at the frontier. France still stands in the presence of those threatening and unanswered questions—threatening because unanswered; stands waiting for the solution of matters which touch her directly and intimately and constantly, and if she 'must stand alone, what must she do? She must put upon her people a constant burden of taxation. She must undergo sacrifice that may become intolerable.

"And not only she, but the other nations of the world must do the like. They must be ready for any terrible incident of injustice. The thing is not inconceivable.

I visited the other day a portion of the devastated region of France. I saw the noble city of Rheims in ruins, and I could not help saying to myself: 'Here is where the blow fell because the rulers of the world did not sooner see how to prevent it.'

MEN OVERLOOKED.

"The rulers of the world have been thinking of the relations of governments and forgetting the relations of peoples. They have been thinking of the maneuvers of international dealings, when what they ought to have been thinking of was the fortunes of men and women and the safety of home and the care that they should take that their people should be happy because they were safe.

"They knew that the only way to do this was to make it certain that the same thing will not always happen that has happened this time, that there never shall be any doubt or waiting or surmise, but that whenever France or any free people is threatened, the whole world will be ready to vindicate its liberty.

"It is for that reason, I take it, that I find such a warm and enthusiastic welcome in France for the society of nations; France, with her keen vision, France with her prophetic vision.

NEED OF MANKIND.

"It seems to be not only the need of France, but the need of mankind. And France sees the sacrifices which are necessary for the establishment of the society of nations are not to be compared with the constant dread of another catastrophe falling on the fair cities and areas of France.

"There was a no more beautiful country. There was a no more prosperous country. There was a no more free-spirited people. All the world had admired France and none of the world grudged France her greatness and her prosperity except those who grudged her liberty and prosperity. And it has profited us, terrible as the sacrifice has been, to witness what has happened; to see with the physical eye what has happened because injustice was wrought.

"The president of the chamber has pictured, as I cannot picture, the appalling sufferings, the terrible tragedy of France, but it is a tragedy which could not be repeated. As the pattern of history has disclosed itself, it has closed the hearts of men drawing toward one another. Comradeships have become vivid. The purpose of association has become evident.

"The nations of the world are about to consummate a brotherhood which will make it unnecessary in the future to maintain those crushing armaments which make the peoples suffer almost as much in peace as they suffered in war.

"WE ARE HERE."

"When the soldiers in America crossed the ocean they did not bring with them merely their arms. They brought with them a very vivid conception of France. They landed upon the soil of France with quickened pulses. They knew that they had come to do a thing which the heart of America had long wished to do. When Gen. Pershing stood at the tomb of Lafayette and said, 'Lafayette, we are here!' it was as if he had said, 'Lafayette, here is the completion of the great story whose first chapter you assisted to write.'

"The world has seen the great plot work out, and now the people of France may rest assured that their prosperity is secure because their homes are secure; and men everywhere not only wish her safety and prosperity, but are ready to assure her that with all the force and wealth at their command they will guarantee her security and safety.

"So as we sit from day to day at the Quai d'Orsay, I think to myself we might, if we could gain an audience of the free peoples of the world, adopt the language of Gen. Pershing and say, 'Friends, men, humble women, little children, we are here; we are here as your friends, as your champions, as your representatives. We have come to work out for you a world which is fit to live in, and in which all countries can enjoy the heritage of liberty for which France and America and England and Italy have paid so dear."

FIND PINK BOLL WORM ON UPPER RIO GRANDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Two new infestments of the pink boll worm have been found in Texas by representatives of the Department of Agriculture in the Great Bend district along the upper Rio Grande, where until recently no cotton was grown. The pest also was found near Barstow, Ward county.

The department said today it was believed the Great Bend infestment resulted from cotton seed brought from Mexico, and that the Barstow case was due to cotton from Great Bend seed oil mill near Barstow. Eradication has been started under the system used to eliminate the pest in 1917.

OFFICER ACCUSED OF MURDERING AMERICAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Feb. 3.—Closely guarded by a detachment of soldiers, Second Captain Juan Aspieta was placed on trial before a military tribunal today, charged with the murder of Private David Troib of the United States Army December 27, 1918. The sessions of the court-martial are secret, and no statements will be made regarding its progress until the findings of the court are announced.

Troib's body was found opposite the American patrol camp with a bullet hole through the head.

RED CROSS TO ERECT MEMORIAL AT ISLAY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3. — The American Red Cross announced today an appropriation of $30,828 for the erection and maintenance of a monument on the Island of Islay, Scotland, where are buried 178 American soldiers, who lost their lives in the sinking of the transports Tuscania and the Otrante.

The memorial will be a granite obelisk about forty-feet high, bearing a bronze tablet on one of its faces and a bronze wreath given by President Wilson.

ALBERS "HONEST BUT DULL."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 3.—Characterization of J. Henry Albers, on trial in the Federal court charged with violation of the Espionage Act, as a loyal German-American, "honest but dull," who had been heckled while intoxicated into making alleged seditious utterances, was made in argument for the defense by John McCourt at Albers' trial today. The argument occupied most of the afternoon session.

Gen. Peck, Civil War Veteran, Dies.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Maj.-Gen. Lewis Meade Peck, a veteran of the Civil War, died today at his home in Brooklyn, aged 86. He was made a captain in the Sixty-seventh New York Infantry shortly after the war started; won rapid promotion for bravery and in March, 1865, was made a major-general of volunteers for gallantry and meritorious conduct.

MURDERS, SUICIDES LESS IN NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Approximately 5200 persons met violent death last year, according to the annual report of the chief medical examiner made public tonight. There were 273 homicides and 772 suicides, a slight decrease compared with 1917.

ALLIES' TREATY WITH RUMANIA MADE KNOWN

CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH KINGDOM ENTERED WAR FULLY REVEALED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—The text of a treatry signed on August 17, 1916, between Rumania and the Quadruple Entente, is published today by the Temps. It embodies the conditions under which Rumania entered the war. Folowing are its various articles:

"Article 1. France, Great Britain, Italy and Russia guarantee the territorial integrity of the kingdom of Rumania in the whole extent of its present frontiers.

"Art. 2. Rumania engages to declare war on and attack Austria-Hungary on the conditions stipulated in the accompanying military convention, and also engages on the declaration of war to cease economic relations and commercial exchanges with the enemies of all the Allies.

"Art. 3. France, Great Britain, Italy and Russia recognize Rumania's right to annex the territories in the Austro-Hungarian monarchy stipulated by article 4.

"Art. 4. This delimits these territories and adds: Rumania engages not to raise fortifications in front of Belgrade in a zone to be determined later, and only to keep a necessary force in this zone for police purposes. The royal Rumanian government engages to indemnify the Serbians of Banat, who, in abandoning their properties, wish to emigrate within two years from the termination of peace.

"Art. 5. Engages Rumania and the Quadruple Entente not to make a separate peace. The Quadruple Entente engages that the aforesaid territories in the Austro-Hungarian monarchy shall be annexed by the treaty of peace.

"Art. 6. Rumania to enjoy the same rights as the Allies in the peace preliminaries, and in the discussion of questions submitted to the peace congress.

"Art. 7. The present treaty to be kept secret until the conclusion of a general peace."

The military convention's principal articles:

Article 1. Rumania engages to attack Austria-Hungary on August 8, 1916 (eight days after the Saloniki offensive.)

Art. 2. The Russian army will aid by vigorous action, notably in Bukowina, and the Russian fleet will watch the Rumanian coasts, having the right of the use of the port of Constan (Kustendje.)

Art. 3. Russia engages to send into Dobrudja two divisions of infantry and one division of cavalry to co-operate with the Rumanian army against the Bulgarians, the Allies to make an offensive at Saloniki at least eight days before Rumania enters the war.

Art. 4. Rumania to receive from the Allies, by way of Russia, munitions and war material.

Art. 5. The necessities of war comradeship in arms being safeguarded, no contracting party is subordinated to any other.

Art. 9. The principal object of Rumanian action will be in the direction of Budapest through Transylvania. The Russian troops, co-operating with the Rumanian army, will be under command of the chief of the Rumanian army.

FORMER CHICAGO GIRL IS POSSIBLE QUEEN.

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able success. Most of Northern Portugal is under the control of the royalists, and they have formed a government which is administering the laws from Oporto, principal seaport of the country. Both sides claim to control a majority of the country, but at present there is no certain information regarding the final outcome.

Another "if" between the American woman and the Portugal throne is former King Manuel, who was reigning when the republican revolt vacated his throne and sent him into exile in England. It is reported Manuel has left England and is at present aboard a ship in Oporto Harbor, awaiting the call to land and resume his throne. If his plans do not miscarry there will be no American queen, but if anything should prevent Manuel from assuming the job Dom Miguel is next "choice of the people."

It is understood envoys have been instructed by Dom Miguel to convey the information to the Portuguese that he will consent to be their king if the people wish him. All he needs to convince him is to have the republican government ousted and an invitation sent him to come and rule.

Should that invitation be sent and accepted, then the former Miss Anita Stewart will be Her Majesty, Queen of Portugal, and her daughter will be the real Infanta of Portugal. The daughter, born in London in 1910, is considered the most beautiful child of royalty in Europe.

Anita Stewart, daughter of Mrs James Henry Smith, by her first marriage, became the wife of Don Miguel, September 15, 1909, after a million dollars made on the Chicago Board of Trade, and other money marts of America, had been turned over to the bankrupt coffers of the Portuguese prince. Shortly before the marriage the late Emperor of Austria gave to the heiress the highest title ever conferred upon an American girl when he proclaimed her a princess.

The gown for her wedding was the marvelous pearl robe of the former Shah of Persia, which the girl's mother purchased for several hundred thousand dollars of her millionaire husband's winnings.

FOUR SLOPE SOLDIERS QUIT GERMAN PRISONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Information regarding Americans held prisoner and now reported as released was made public tonight by the War Department. The names listed include the following:

Released from German prison camps and returned to France—Enlisted men of army:

James M. Wilsey, Covelo, Cal.

Reported from Camp Rastatt, Germany, and to have left for Strasbourg, enlisted men of army:

Kenneth R. Moore, Third and Hill streets, Los Angeles.

John Torres, Bakersfield, Cal.

Rislo Porobich, Lowell, Ariz.

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GENERAL STRIKE CALLED.

Attempts to Avert Sympathetic Walkout at Seattle are Abandoned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 3.—All immediate hope of averting a city-wide strike of the majority of 152 labor organizations, involving the greater part of 45,000 workers, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, in sympathy with 25,000 striking metal trades workers, was abandoned late today. George Donworth, chairman of the Citizens' Industrial Relations Committee, announced the committee had discontinued its mediation sessions because it could see no possibility of its further assistance in averting a strike.

Striking metal trades workmen who left the shipyards and contract shops here last January 21 after their demands for pay higher than that given in the Macy Federal wage adjustment award had been refused.

Other strike developments today include: Campaign begun by the Metal Trades Council for a State-wide strike and a walkout of ship metal workers throughout the country; refusal of the Longshoremen's Union to obey an order of its international president not to strike; A. E. Miller, chairman of the Conference Strike Committee of the Metal Trades Council, called to explain the strike situation to the Ministerial Federation. Tomorrow shipyard owners will appear before the Ministerial Federation.

A statement from strike leaders asserted that they had been advised that the Los Angeles Building Trades Council would take up the local recommendation for a nation-wide strike at its next meeting.

No reply has been received from international officers of the Street Carmen's Union and the Typographical Union regarding sanction for the unions joining the sympathetic strike. Telephone operators will take a referendum vote on the strike question tomorrow evening.

STRIKE LASTS ONE DAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Feb. 3.—Five hundred boilermakers and machinists in four local shops went on strike today as a protest against the alleged failure of employers to pay the first installment of a retroactive wage increase provided for in a recent compromise agreement on the Macy award providing for a new schedule, dating from August 1.

Upon being assured later by the employers that the back payments would be made promptly the men voted to return to work tomorrow.

The first payment will be made next Monday morning, according to a joint statement by the California Metal Trades Association and the California Foundrymen's Association.

TACOMA STRIKE CALLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TACOMA (Wash.) Feb. 3.—A general strike will begin in Tacoma at 10 a.m., Thursday, February 6, the Central Labor Council at a special meeting today, advancing the proposed hour from Tuesday to conform with action taken by the labor unions at Seattle.

In a statement tonight the City Commissioner of Light and Water declared present plans contemplate that patrons of the city's power plant would continue to receive light, water and power no matter what conditions develop Thursday.

The Tacoma Gas Company made public announcement that there will be continuous gas service, strike or no strike.

AMERICAN FOOD REACHES VIENNA

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cause of lack of coal, and conditions are little better in Czecho-Slovakia. Formerly Austria-Hungary received 10,000 tons of coal daily from Prussian Silesia. This has been greatly diminished, and the yield is small in Czecho-Slovakia because of the political and labor agitation.

"The bridges and trestles have been almost entirely destroyed in Serbia and, as a consequence, motor trucks and ox carts must be used temporarily. The railway demoralization is slightly less in Czecho-Slovakia than in Austria-Hungary, where few trains are operating, these being loaded with men and women carrying bags of food.

AID FOR HUNGARY.

"Although the Americans cannot expend a great amount for Austro-Hungarian relief, the Entente probably will supply food to those two countries to avert Bolshevism, and all the American relief for Czecho-Slovakia must pass over the disorganized Austro-Hungarian railways.

"The Americans are concentrating food at Trieste, which will be the center of the southern relief work, while Danzig will be the center of Polish relief. But the entire campaign is dependent upon coal, which it may be necessary to import from England or the United States, unless arrangements can be made to obtain it from Prussia, where production is less affected by disorganization."

The Food Administration headquarters today announced the American relief administration had received a shipment of 25,000 tons of food from Trieste at Prague for the Czecho-Slovaks.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

"It is stated the food situation in Czecho-Slovakia is extremely serious and that, inasmuch as Czecho-Slovakia has no port of its own, it is necessary to traverse the old state of Austria to reach this new nation.

As an incident to the arrangement of railway transportation and access through Austria, the United States Grain Corporation arranged to sell to the city of Vienna for cash 1000 tons of flour. The disorganization of the railways necessitates that each train should be accompanied by a few Allied soldiers to prevent pilfering. All the Allied governments are providing soldiers purely for guarding purposes, with the approval of the various governments concerned.

The British and Italian governments also are shipping foodstuffs into this region. The efforts are being co-ordinated under the supreme food council under Herbert Hoover's direction.

SETTLEMENT EXPECTED IN PATERSON STRIKE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PATERSON (N. J.) Feb. 3.—Indications tonight were approximately 27,000 silk workers in this city, who were locked out today after they attempted to enforce their demands for a forty-seven-hour week by reporting late for work, soon will return, pending settlement of the dispute by the War Labor Board.

The manufacturers at a meeting today decided to put the whole matter before the board, including the question of whether the strikers shall return to work or remain on strike while the board is considering the demands. The manufacturers from the outset have favored settlement by the board but up to today had insisted the workers continue to work fifty hours a week pending the decision.

Louis Magnat, strike leader, said tonight the question would be taken up at a meeting of workers tomorrow and that he "expected a quick settlement of the strike."

LIBERTY MOTOR TEST FLIGHT IS COMPLETED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HOUSTON (Tex.) Feb. 3.—The Liberty motor test flight from Ellington Field to Detroit and return was completed this afternoon when the airplane handled by Capt. L. J. Robinson and Lieut. A. A. Adams landed at the home field.

Capt. Robinson estimated the distance covered at between 4000 and 5000 miles and gave the flying time as 1650 minutes. The average speed was 110 miles an hour for the entire distance and the maximum 125 miles.

The trip was devoid of engine trouble.

The fivers left Ellington Field December 21.

ALL LONDON IN STRIKERS' GRIP.

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though not authorized, may precipitate the labor crisis.

When the present trouble is combined with the threat of strikes by the electric light and power workers and of the 200,000 members of the engineers' union, both scheduled for this week, the prospect before the metropolis is not a pleasant one.

As indicating how widespread is the strike fever in Great Britain a mass meeting of the physicians of Hyde Park, held yesterday for the purpose of organizing a body to represent the medical profession before Parliament, broke up in disorder when a motion to form a regular registered trade union was declared defeated, by only two votes out of 150.

The meeting was addressed by Sir Watson Cheyne, member of Parliament, by the editor of Lancet, and other prominent physicians.

The motion to form a trade union and to use the strike as a weapon in gaining their ends was received with much favor, and the chairman, after declaring it lost by the close vote, refused any recount.

CABINET CONVENED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 3.—The British Cabinet held a session today to discuss the labor situation. It is said, however, that the government is still against any intervention.

A general meeting of the miners in the anthracite region is to be held Thursday to consider the calling of a general strike.

The Parliamentary Committee of the Trades Union Congress decided today to summon a special meeting to consider the whole question of industrial unrest.

The corporation of the city of Belfast today asked the Lord Mayor to intervene in the strike.

The presence of large bodies of troops in Glasgow is believed to insure a continuance of the present state of order there, but at Belfast the second week of the strike begins with increased uneasiness, although there are no signs of any disposition on the part of the men to resort to further violence.

For eight days Belfast has been using candles for lighting, and most of the public services have been at a complete standstill. The curtailment of the fuel supply is causing considerable suffering, and an indefinite prolongation of these conditions is considered impossible.

TRIBUNE SAYS FORD'S PRESTIGE PREJUDICIAL.

CHICAGO NEWSPAPER SEEKS CHANGE OF VENUE IN LIBEL SUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, Feb. 3.—That the prestige of Henry Ford in Detroit would be prejudicial to the case of the Chicago Tribune if the million-dollar libel suit brought by Mr. Ford against that newspaper is tried here was the basis of argument in Circuit Court by attorneys for the defense today in the Tribune's petition for a change of venue.

The case, which is set for hearing February 10, is based on statements alleged to have been published by the Tribune regarding Mr. Ford's attitude on the war.

Attorneys for the defense charged an attempt had been made by Mr. Ford to influence possible jurors by the distribution of a pamphlet, "The War Record of the Chicago Tribune." Newspaper and magazine articles laudatory of the plaintiff, which the defense asserts were given wide circulation in Detroit, were read into the record. Edwin G. Pipp, managing editor of the Dearborn Independent, Mr. Ford's weekly newspaper, denied the paper was established for the purpose of creating sentiment favorable to its publisher.

In an effort to show that the amount of money distributed by the Ford interests here might influence the outcome of the case, evidence was introduced to show the extent of the Ford Motor Company's business with local firms. Frank L. Klingensmith, general manager of the company, testified there are 51,000 persons employed by the company and that of a total of about $125,000,000 expended in 1918 for materials, 25 per cent. was spent in Wayne county, Detroit.

The argument will be continued tomorrow.

SWEDES TIE UP RAILWAY LINE

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duced if the cost of living decreases, but not to an amount less than a 50 per cent. increase of 100 per cent. over the present scale. A special allowance of 10 francs daily is to be paid workers until the bill is passed.

HARBOR SHIP WORKERS DO NOT FAVOR STRIKE

SIXTY PER CENT. OF UNION MEN VOTING OPPOSED TO CRIPPLING INDUSTRY.

While agitators were packing union headquarters and urging all workers to go to the polls in San Pedro and Long Beach yesterday and cast their votes in favor of a general strike in the shipyards on February 10, level-headed union men were offering to bet two to one that there will be no strike in Los Angeles Harbor, Sixty per cent. of the union men are said to be against the idea of striking.

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"The time has come, Senator Thomas warned, for the American people to awaken to the menace of the Bolshevism in this country. The avalanche may be upon us before we know it," he declared, quoting from a newspaper report telling about the red meeting here. Senator Thomas said:

"For one, I wish to protest against these assemblages in this country under the guise of free speech and advocate what is virtually treason to the nation. If I occupied a street corner and counsel my fellows to go to the White House and kill the President, or to the Willard Hotel and kill the proprietor, or to the Capitol and murder a Senator or a Representative, I believe very properly interfere, be apprehended and ought to be punished. But if I counsel a campaign of universal murder and destruction, including the overthrow of the government of the United States, strange to say, I rely upon my constitutional right to free speech and go unscathed.

AVALANCHE THREATENS.

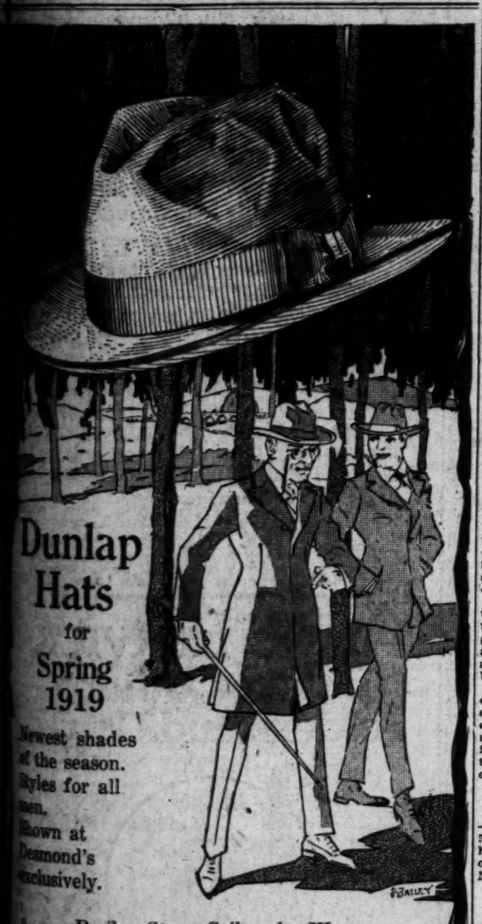
"I contend that one is just as criminal as the other, and unless the people of this country, the plain middle classes of the people, realize, and realize very soon, the fact that there is a propaganda, usually secret but frequently open, whose desire and purpose is to overthrow the government of the United States and erect upon its ruins a so-called government of murderers, anarchists, thieves and scoundrels of every description, with here and there some honest but deluded individual among them, the avalanche may be upon us before we are fully aware of it.

"I do not wish to speak upon this subject with any undue foreboding, but when I realize that there is an organization in this country, as well as in others, comprised in part at least, as all such organizations are, of good women and of good men, and of good-meaning men and good-meaning women, but officered and controlled by men who are criminals at heart and traitors in fact as well as in law, and that the movement that they preach and advocate is spreading, I want to be in a position at least to say hereafter that I was not silent when these things were going on and approaching a climax.

MONSTER'S HEAD RAISED.

"I think it is safe to say that every murderer, every criminal, every man and woman who hopes and expects to prosper or to benefit politically or materially on the overthrow of the social state through the massacre of men, the ravishing of women and the destruction of laws, through robbery, arson and all the other social crimes known to the calendar, are not only members, but enthusiastic members, of this so-called organization. And now, in the capital of the country, this monster raises his head, utters its treasons, counsels the overthrow of the government, and lauds to the skies a different form of social and political institutions, the experiments upon which up to this time have been simply appalling.

"I trust that the attention of the country may be directed to these things, and I earnestly hope that the men and women having the institutions of the country at heart will see what their political and moral duty is and strive in some measure to meet and counter this condition, which, to my mind, is fraught with the greatest danger to the republic."



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WESTERN UNITS ORDERED HOME.

Fortieth Division Assigned to Returning Convoy.

California Guard Soldiers are Among Those Coming.

Five Transports Leave France, Department Reports.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Most of the Fortieth Division, including practically all the infantry units, has been assigned to early convoy home, the War Department announced today. In the division are California, Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico National Guardsmen.

The units of the Fortieth assigned are the One Hundred and Fifty-seventh, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixtieth Infantry regiments, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth Infantry brigade headquarters, One Hundred and Forty-third, One Hundred and Forty-fourth, One Hundred and Forty-fifth Machine Gun battalions, One Hundred and Fifteenth Train Headquarters and Supply Train and Ammunition Train (animal-drawn section,) Fortieth Division Military Police Company, Headquarters Troop and divisional headquarters, postal detachment, mobile field laboratory, One Hundred and Sixtieth Field Hospital and One Hundred and Sixtieth Ambulance Company.

Other units announced as having been assigned to early convoy include the Three Hundred and Thirty-second and Three Hundred and Thirty-fourth Field Artillery regiments complete, Three Hundred and Thirty-sixth Machine Gun Battalion, Fiftieth Regiment Coast Artillery complete, Ninety-third and One Hundred and Third aero squadrons, One Hundred and Third Trench Mortar Battery, advance school detachment, Tenth Field Artillery Brigade.

FIVE BOATS SAIL.

Sailing of five transports carrying about 300 officers and 5500 men of the American Expeditionary forces was announced today by the War Department. The Santa Teresa, due at New York February 9; the Dante Alighieri, due at New York February 12, and the Princess Matoika, which should reach Newport News February 11, are bringing most of the troops.

The Dante Alighieri has aboard the Sixty-first Regiment, Coast Artillery, complete. The Santa Teresa has fifty officers and about 1300 men, the majority of whom are convalescent detachments, First to Seventh inclusive, Eleventh to Fourteenth inclusive and Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Sixty-fifth.

The Princess Matoika has one casual company of marines, one of Regular Army men, two of New York and one each of Missouri, Ohio, Vermont, Maryland, Montana and California convalescent detachments Nos. 35 to 39, inclusive; eighty-two casual officers and sixty navy enlisted men.

The transport Baltic is due at New York February 7, with a few casual officers, and the El Oriente should reach Newport News February 9 with a few casual civilians.

DISCHARGES ON ILLNESS.

Gen. Pershing has been authorized by the War Department to send home for immediate discharge from the army any drafted or enlisted man who presents convincing evidence of sickness or other distress in his family.

The department announced that men may make their own requests for discharge, or the request may be directly to Gen. Pershing by letter or cable by a member of the soldier's family, or other interested and responsible persons, accompanied by sufficient testimony that sickness or other distress exists.

Gen. Pershing also has been authorized to discharge in Europe on their own application men who have good reasons for leaving the army and waive any claim for sea travel allowances from Europe to the United States.

These instructions apply to enlisted or drafted men who entered the service after April 1, 1917. Men who entered the service before that date may be furloughed to the United States when sickness or distress in the soldier's family is clearly indicated.

SOLDIERS LAND.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEWPORT NEWS (Va.) Feb. 3.—Two thousand troops, including 553 sick and wounded, were landed here today from the transport Susquehanna, which sailed from St. Nazaire January 17.

AGAMEMNON ARRIVES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The American transport Agamemnon arrived here today from Brest with 2914 troops, including 1257 officers and men of the Fifty-first Regiment of Coast Artillery, Regular Army (mostly New England men.) The Agamemnon also carried 627 sick and wounded men, two casual companies, 43 naval officers and a small number of casuals.

Two American aviators who won distinction abroad arrived on the Agamemnon—Capt. Reed G. Landis, son of Federal Judge Landis of Chicago, and Lieut. F. D. Andrews of Denver. Capt. Landis wears the Distinguished Service Cross and a British decoration. Most of his service was with a British unit. He is officially credited with downing twelve planes. Lieut. Andrews brought down two German airplanes in one day.

Ensign Thetford H. ("Teddy") Cann, former American 500-yard swimming champion, who received the navy medal of honor for bravery, returned after sixteen months' service abroad. Ensign Cann was the first reservist to be awarded the naval medal and $100 prize money, which he received for preventing the United States steamship May from being swamped by a leak in November, 1917. He entered a flooded bilge twice to close a leak, risking his life each time.

Xavier Leroux, Composer, Is Dead.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Feb. 3.—Announcement is made here of the death of Xavier Leroux, the composer.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza.

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REPUBLICAN WOMEN LAY CAMPAIGN PLANS.

MRS. MEDILL McCORMICK ISSUES STATEMENT OUTLINING ORGANIZATION.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Under the plan submitted by Mrs. Medill McCormick, and approved by the National Republican Committee, every Republican woman in the country will be called into active service and women as yet undecided in regard to their political affiliations will be drawn to the Republican standard.

Mrs. McCormick has issued the following statement concerning the Republican Women's National Executive Committee:

"The committee of women appointed by Mr. Hays has prepared a plan of organization on the assumption that we shall enlist the support of women in a sound and progressive economy and social programme. The women are not interested in the Shibboleths of yesterday. They are learning and speaking the current speech of government today.

"We should not have undertaken this work unless we believed that the Republican party was a party of action and not of phrases, and that a Republican Congress, in spite of its difficult situation, will find real leaders and go forward."

PLAN MEETS APPROVAL.

According to Mrs. McCormick's plan, which was unanimously adopted by the committee in Chicago last month and has now been made public, the chairman of each Republican State central committee will appoint, in consultation with Mrs. McCormick, a woman chairman for a woman's State executive committee, unless it shall be mutually decided to include women in the membership of the existing State executive committees. These women will in turn form their own committees and appoint county chairmen of county women's committees.

The system will extend down to the smallest political units in the State. It will be the first business of this network of women's committees to enroll every Republican voter in the State. A house-to-house canvass will be made in every State by the women. The committee women will work with the men's committees in helping elect the Republican ticket.

FAMILIAR LINES TAKEN.

"The plan," Mrs. McCormick explained, "follows the familiar lines of political organization. It intends that women, as Republicans and citizens, shall work not independently but in association with men and under the leaders of the party. We seek to draw into the active service of the Republican party those women who have earned and justified their leadership in the long-accustomed services of women. Women who have thus won their way know and are known to women throughout their States and throughout the country, just as you, as our party leaders, are known. Through these women we shall reach others and so bring to the women in the cities and in the villages, in the counties and at the crossroads, our purposes. But, what is more important, we shall thus be able to draw from them knowledge of those changes, those reforms, approved by their intelligence and commanded by their hearts."

Serving on the Women's National Executive Committee, of which Mrs. McCormick is chairman, is Mrs. Raymond Robins of Chicago, Mrs. Margaret Hill McCarter of Kansas, Mrs. Josephine Preston of Washington and Miss Mary Garrett Hay of New York. The executive secretary of the committee is Mrs. Mabel Gilmore Reinecke of Chicago.

JOE LYNCH WINS FROM BRITISHER.

DEFEATED TOMMY NOBLE ON POINTS IN TWENTY-ROUND BOUT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Feb. 3.—Joe Lynch, bantamweight, of New York, defeated Tommy Noble, the British bantamweight, on points in twenty fast rounds.

Lynch does not win the championship, as the fight was not held at the National Sporting Club, and as the Lonsdale belt was not at stake.

The American bantam fought a losing battle during the first nine rounds, when he seemed to lack all knowledge of distance and fell easy prey to Noble's straight left, which was his best offensive weapon. In the tenth round Lynch got over several good punches, including a left hook, and Noble apparently was in trouble at the end of the round.

Lynch carried off the honors in every round after that, but gained the twelfth round only by a shade. In the subsequent rounds, the referee repeatedly cautioned Noble for hanging on and holding. In each of the last four rounds the American was on to Noble almost before the Britisher was out of his chair. Lynch had much the best of the infighting in the last half of the fighting, doing telling damage to Noble's midsection.

When they weighed in before the fight Lynch was under 120 pounds, the stipulated weight. Noble refused to be weighed and lost the forfeit, which he had posted.

Ships Vaccine to Mexico, Indicted.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TUCSON, Feb. 3.—Charles E. Wiswall, head of the Cananea Cattle Company, was indicted by the Federal grand jury today charged with exporting vaccine to Mexico without a license. Mr. Wiswall, who was here on his way to North Dakota, was allowed to continue his journey and will report for hearing later.

American Squadron at Santos.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

SANTOS (Brazil) Saturday, Feb. 1.—The American squadron, with Rear-Admiral Caperton in command, arrived here today. Rear-Admiral Caperton will visit Sao Paulo, where extensive entertainments have been arranged.

"Life Income Free from Tax."

A benefit with the AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF $5000 by a man aged 65 will produce a guaranteed annual income of $578.05. At age 70 the annual income is $692.50. At age 75 the annual income is $819.65, and at age 80 the annual income is $960. If you buy an annuity you will live longer. Convert your bonds and mortgages into cash and buy yourself an income for life free from all taxes. I. J. MUMA, Manager, Aetna Life Insurance Co., fourth floor Merchants National Bank Bldg., Los Angeles.

SUFFRAGE BILL AGAIN TO FORE.

Measure to be Brought up in Senate Next Monday.

Nation-Wide Enfranchisement of Women is Sought.

Favorable Action in House may be Nullified.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—A final effort to put nation-wide woman suffrage through the present Congress will be made next Monday. Senator Jones of New Mexico, chairman of the Suffrage Committee, gave notice in the Senate today he would move next Monday to take up the Susan B. Anthony resolution to submit to the States a constitutional amendment for national woman's suffrage.

Unless the Senate adopts the resolution before March 4, the favorable action taken by the House more than a year ago will be nullified and the resolution will have to begin its legislative journey all over again in the next Congress.

When the suffrage resolution was brought to a vote in the Senate last fall it lacked two of the two-thirds votes necessary to its adoption. Suffrage leaders privately admitted today they were still one vote short of the requisite number. One gain has been made in the person of Senator Pollock of South Carolina, it was reported.

They are hopeful of winning one convert before the roll is called next week.

Alice Paul tonight made this statement concerning the announcement of Senator Jones, chairman of the Senate Woman Suffrage Committee, that the suffrage amendment would be brought up next Monday:

"This is the last chance the Democratic party will have to take advantage of the opportunity they have neglected for the last five years—to pass the amendment enfranchising the 20,000,000 women of this country. Women recognize that it is entirely in the hands of the Democrats to pass the suffrage measure and will hold them responsible if it is not passed."

The resolution adopted by the Illinois Legislature calling on the Senate to adopt the suffrage resolution was presented in the Senate today by Senators Sherman and Lewis.

BURGLARS ENTER, ROB STORE AT DOWNEY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

DOWNEY, Feb. 3.—The general store of T. R. Manning was entered early Sunday morning, the thieves making away with more than $200 worth of shoes, overalls and other wearing apparel. Officers are of the opinion that the burglars belong to an organized band, which has been operating in the small towns in this section.

DOWNEY BUSINESS CHANGE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

DOWNEY, Feb. 3.—A change in one of Downey's oldest business firms took place this morning, when Galloway & Nance succeeded Alonzo Hall, grocery and dry goods merchant. Mr. Hall has been conducting the business for the past twenty-two years, and retires on account of ill health. George H. Nance of the new firm is a late arrival from Marion, Ill., and his partner, John Galloway, while a new resident of Downey, has been engaged in construction work for many years in California for the W. M. Ledbetter Company of Los Angeles.

BEARS BAYONET WOUND.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 2.—Lieut. M. D. Williams, a former resident of this city, is here visiting his aunt, Mrs. S. A. Palmer. Lieut. Williams has been discharged from the service because of a sabre-toothed bayonet wound which incapacitates him for future duty. This wound was received in the Battle of the Marne, where he also received another wound.

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Brilliant Work of Eminent Pianist Evokes Storm of Applause Although Artist Personally is 3000 Miles Away.

The San Francisco Symphony Concert given in the afternoon of Friday, January 31st, proved one of the most unique and interesting performances ever staged by this body of eminent musicians. The audience enjoyed the novel sensation of listening to the brilliant work of Harold Bauer, one of America's foremost artists of the piano, although Mr. Bauer at the time was on the other side of the continent. His rendition of the Saint Saens Concerto No. 2 through the medium of the wonderful Duo-Art reproducing piano accompanied by the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Conductor Hertz proved rich in the delicate shadings and in the distinctly individual interpretation which is nothing less than Harold Bauer himself, and brought forth expressions of wonderment and hearty enthusiasm from the large and representative audience in attendance.

Several months ago while in New York City Conductor Hertz listened to a similar performance given by the New York Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Walter Damrosch at which Harold Bauer was heard "in spirit" on the Duo-Art. Mr. Hertz was so impressed by this musical feat that he immediately began making preparations for the San Francisco concert which has just been staged.

Officials of the George J. Birkel Company, which concern is the local agent for the wonderful Duo-Art reproducing piano, conceded to be the most remarkable instrument of its kind in the world, express sincere regret that the Los Angeles public will not be afforded the pleasure of hearing this instrument in concert. Harold Bauer is only one of many eminent pianists who have recorded their performances for the Duo-Art. Through the medium of the Duo-Art record every slight gradation of tone and the minutest variance in touch—in fact the very personality of the artist—is reproduced in exact facsimile.

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It is with pride that the members of this squadron wish to inform their friends that the One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Aero Squadron joined the First Day Bombardment Group on September 21, 1918, and opened successful operations against the enemy October 18, and continued to operate until the armistice was signed. During the period of operation the One Hundred and Sixty-sixth Aero Squadron did not lose a machine over the enemy lines, dropped more bombs per raid during that period, and had more enemy machines to their credit than any other squadron of the First Day Bombardment Group.

Hoping that this error will be corrected, as it seems to cast reflections on our squadron, I am,

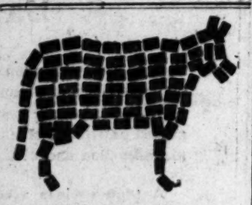
Yours sincerely,
JAMES P. REAGOR.

FAMINE AND TYPHUS SWEEP PERSIAN CITY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Famine and typhus are sweeping Tabriz, Persia, according to advices today to the State Department from Teheran.

Gordon Paddock, the American Consul at Tabriz, has been made chairman of a relief committee.



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AGREE ON OIL LEASING BILL.

Deadlock of the Conferees is Finally Broken.

California Mineral Lands may Now be Developed.

West's Most Important Legislation Soon to be Law.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—After months of deliberation, House and Senate conferees today reached a final agreement on the oil leasing bill, under which more than 50,000,000 acres of government-owned oil, gas, coal, phosphate and sodium lands in Western States and Alaska would be opened for development under a leasing system, subject to a royalty which, in the case of oil and gas, will be not less than one-eighth of the gross value of production.

This legislation—generally regarded as the most important affecting the West that has been before Congress within a decade—has been pending for four years, and has been the subject of repeated discussions in both houses. Leaders in the Senate and House hope to complete its enactment before the end of this session, March 4.

After the conferees had settled all differences, Senator Pittman of Nevada and Representative Ferris of Oklahoma, chairmen of the Senate and House managers, issued statements urging support of the bill and declaring that in its present form it was the best compromise that could be hoped for.

The most important provision of the measure, and the one causing the greatest division of opinion, relates to the settlement of claims growing out of the development of oil wells in and outside the California and Wyoming naval reserves. The conferees adopted the House provision which has been indorsed by the Secretary of the Navy, the Secretary of the Interior and the Attorney-General, and which affects all development within the naval reserves except through existing flowing wells, which may be leased to persons who sank them, providing no fraud exists, at a royalty to be fixed by the Secretary of the Interior at not less than one-eighth of the oil produced.

PERMITS PROSPECTING.

Under the agreement, the Secretary of the Interior would have authority to grant a prospecting permit for lands outside the naval reserves to an applicant for 640 acres located within ten miles of any producing oil or gas field, or 2560 acres beyond that distance. Upon the discovery of oil the prospector would be permitted to obtain a lease upon one-fourth of this land, with a preferential right to lease the remaining unpatented lands embraced within the limits of his permit. In each case he would pay the government a royalty of not less than one-eighth of the gross value the oil or gas produced. Prior to obtaining a lease, the prospectors would be required to pay a royalty of 20 per cent. The lease would be for twenty years at a rental of $1 per acre.

The conferees adopted the Senate coal provision, which permits either the leasing or purchase of government-owned coal lands for development purposes. It was at the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior that Alaskan coal lands were brought within the provisions of the measure. Persons leasing any coal lands would pay a royalty of not less than 3 cents a ton. Sale of coal lands would be on the basis of competitive bids, with a minimum of $10 an acre for certain lands and $20 an acre for others.

The bill would permit a straight leasing plan for sodium lands, with a royalty of one-eighth of the gross receipts, but would specifically exempt sodium lands in San Bernardino county, California.

The leasing system also would be extended to oil shale and phosphates.

LONG LITIGATION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Litigation over the California naval oil reserve, which is affected in the argument reached in Congress on the oil leasing bill, began shortly after the reserve was created by the Taft withdrawal order of September 27, 1909. At that time 65,242 acres were set aside in the Elk Hills, Midway and North Midway districts, of Kern county, and were closed to all further location or patent. Of this acreage 31,000 acres previously had been patented, and 12,412 were affected by patents applied for. Of the patented acreage 28,153 acres are involved in the government's suit against the Southern Pacific Company for the redemption of mineral lands alleged to have been secured under nonmineral patents by that company.

URGES MONEY TO STATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHEYENNE, Feb. 3.—Both houses of the Wyoming Legislature late today passed a resolution urging Congress to incorporate in the oil land leasing bill a provision that 50 per cent. of the proceeds from the leases should be given to the State in which the leases are situated, the money to be used by the State for educational or other purposes. Gov. Carey immediately signed the resolution, which was telegraphed to the Wyoming delegation in Congress tonight.

MILITIAMEN FREE TO JOIN OTHER BODIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HELENA (Mont.) Feb. 3.—The Montana House of Representatives today refused to eliminate from the bill providing for the establishment of a national guard a provision that membership in the militia should not be considered a bar against admission to any secret society, labor organization or other association.

Those opposing the provision contended it might be used as a club to force labor unions to admit "undesirables" to membership.

NAVAL ORDERS ARE ISSUED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Navy orders today reassigned Rear-Admiral John A. Hoogewerff as superintendent of the naval observatory here, relieving him of command of a squadron of the Atlantic fleet. Rear-Admiral Clarence S. Williams was ordered from the Atlantic fleet to command a division of the Pacific fleet. Other orders assigned Capt. William N. Jeffres to command the battleship Illinois, Capt. W. T. Cluverius to command the mine layer Baltimore, and Capt. Frederick B. Bassett to command the Great Lakes station.

MIDDLE WEST NEWS IN BRIEF.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Feb. 3.—Even a California movie studio cannot beat this. A burglar entered the American motion picture theater here and robbed the safe of its contents. He then went to the projecting room and selected a Charlie Chaplin film for a private, before-daylight showing. He got it into the machine all right, but pulled the wrong lever to start the picture going. The lever he pulled brought the asbestos fire screen down on his head for a knockout.

Joseph P. Wagner was granted a divorce from wife No. 1 today while No. 2 was home taking care of their four children. Mrs. Wagner No. 1 disappeared in 1908. He married again. He saw No. 1 on a street car recently. She admitted his predicament was tough and agreed to his getting a divorce.

The County Charter Government Association, formed to back the city-county merger plan, drafted and adopted a home-rule amendment to the State Constitution calling for a merger of city and county government, at a meeting here today.

ST. PAUL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. PAUL, Feb. 3.—J. O. Bentall, Socialist candidate for Governor in the last Minnesota general election, convicted of violating the Espionage Act, surrendered himself.

Real winter is here at last. Gone are the California-like days enjoyed by St. Paul during the past month. A cold wave is on the way, due to arrive tonight, accompanied by zero temperature.

The State Legislature will find out tonight what labor thinks of Gov. Burnquist's scheme to create a State constabulary. Labor forces from St. Paul and Minneapolis plan to crowd the House chamber when a public hearing will be held on making permanent the present State Motor Corps.

MINNEAPOLIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 3.—Five expert yeggmen last night blew the safe of the Clover Creamery, 420 Twentieth avenue, North, and got away with nearly $5000 in cash. The yeggmen forced entrance through a rear door and then forced the watchman at the point of a gun to lead them to the safe. The watchman was forced to lie on the office floor with his face down until the job was completed.

Tardy winter made its first appearance in Minneapolis today when a regular snowstorm accompanied by a breezy north wind and a sudden drop in the temperature, hit the city. Three inches of snow fell during the day. It held up the traffic and train service. A cold wave is reported to follow the snowstorm.

Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, leading American ace, who was officially credited with downing twenty-six German airplanes, today wired that he would come to Minneapolis for the annual automobile show which opens here February 15.

The proposed airplane trip from Minneapolis to Duluth, which was scheduled for today, was called off because of the wintry weather. The trip will be made on the first clear day in the near future. Mail will be carried on the experimental trip.

MILWAUKEE.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 3.—Initial plans for the welcoming home of the Thirty-second Division have been abandoned for the War Department announces this division, famed for its work in the second Marne, will probably remain with the army of occupation until late in the summer. The War Department will authorize no parade here, either, as it would take fourteen hours to detrain the division, and as long for it to pass a given point.

Milwaukee is due for winter tomorrow. A cold wave and blizzard is en route from the West.

Lawrence J. Murphy, who once served two months in the County Jail for usury, secured a ten-day continuance of his latest case today. He is accused of charging 7000 per cent. interest on a loan to Montgomery McIntosh, now serving five years for bond frauds, and who said he was ruined by money lenders.

St. John's Catholic Cathedral reports that its debt has been cut $8500 the past year, leaving only $50,000 to be paid.

The Knights of Khorassan will buy 1000 acres of land in Northern Wisconsin for a temple city, for a home for dependents of the order.

The Johns-Manville Company plans to transfer its interests from Milwaukee, involving the expenditure of $9,000,000 on the new plant to be distributed over about eight years.

The Wisconsin Advancement Association project for affiliation with the Milwaukee Association of Commerce will probably be decided upon favorably at a meeting tomorrow.

The question of how the electric railway company was losing money while sending a million a year in dividends to New York was too deep for the employees, but they believed their experts that the company was not making money, was the testimony today of William Wille, labor adjuster for the men, before the State investigation of the January 1 strike.

KANSAS CITY.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 3.—When 180 damage suits against the Kansas City Railways were called for trial in the Circuit Court today, attorneys for the company asked for changes of venue for the suits. The railways company in its petition alleged sentiment in Kansas City was prejudiced against it.

The striking street car men were refused their places today by Phillip J. Kealey, president of the Kansas City Railways Company. The men had been ordered to return to work by the War Labor Board.

ST. LOUIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—The will of Henry C. Haarstick, vice-president of the St. Louis Union Trust Company, filed today in probate court, leaves the bulk of his estate in trust, the income to be equally divided among the widow and two daughters, Mrs. Oscar Herf and Mrs. Clinton L. Whittemore.

Two referendum votes involving the question of the recall of Mayor Kiel will be in progress this week, when ballots are sent to the members of the Chamber of Commerce and the Tenth Ward Improvement Association, asking their expression as to the Mayor's mill tax and franchise agreement with the United Railways Company, and as to the advisability of recalling him.

Percival Chubb devoted a large part of his Sunday lecture at the Ethical Society to discussing Mayor Kiel's deal with the United Railways, denouncing it vigorously and declaring that it should be discussed in all churches and civic organizations.

INDIANAPOLIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 3.—The House passed Representative Johnson's bill providing for a commission to make a study of child and social welfare preparatory to legislation in the next Assembly by a vote of 82 to 8 today. This is one of the Republican platform measures.

The Board of Public Works today made the following orders: That the Citizens' Gas Company be penalized $100 a day after five days if the gas supplied by the company does not conform to the standard as prescribed in the company's franchise, and that the skip-stop system be abolished on all street car and traction lines operating in the city, the order becoming effective next Sunday.

DES MOINES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DES MOINES, Feb. 3.—Return of the railroads and wire lines to their owners is demanded of the government in a resolution adopted today by the House of the Thirty-eighth General Assembly. Arthur Savage, former State Senator, was confirmed by the Senate for the position of state insurance commissioner.

A hundred people lost $100,000 when the Pan Motor Company sold them stock here a year ago, it developed today following the arrest of thirteen officials of the company in Chicago on charges of using the mails to defraud.

Trial of James Horriban, wealthy contractor here, on charges of buying stolen automobile tires, commenced today. It is charged Horriban bought tires from thieves.

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The big drive is now on between Killefer and Bill Essick to ar the best baseball material ible for their 1919 line-ups. e enterprising and hustling agers have their hooks out in y direction to grapple unatted and promising players with h to plug any weak spots in teams. Red has sent out an ll for a shortstop ever since he to corral Chuck Wortman of Cubs, whom sly old Joe Tinker into his Columbus (O.) club

ad Killefer been able to get rtman, he would have used that r young man at short, and d Paddy Driscoll on third. He then have had a formidable in Fournier, Kenworthy, Dris- and Wortman, but Joe Tinker ed things up in general when bbed Wortman right from un- Killefer's nose. As Zeb Terry despairing standard here last around the short field, Master fer is going to have a gigantic before him to fill that very ary position.

at he will run across another hardly likely, for many be- that no such animal exists. Andrews may be used tentain case an experienced short cannot be procured. In all hood, however, Killefer will a good man signed before the ng season opens, using Anas as utility man. Driscoll, the mer, is said to be a swell , but is rather uncertain with willow. However, if he is played arly he may discover a batting in the pure ozone of Southern fornia.

ny of Bill Essick's friends think ade a ten strike when he ed Byron Houck from the St. Browns. Houck in 1917 ed indifferent ball for Walter edle until he discovered a rare ness with a spitter. From that on, he smacked of the real s and won many games, finishfourth among the heavers. ck should add considerable

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Field Source of Worry to Killefer.

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The big drive is now on between Killefer and Bill Essick to get the best baseball material available for their 1919 line-ups. Both enterprising and hustling managers have their hooks out in every direction to grapple unattached and promising players with a view to plug any weak spots in their teams. Red has sent out an S.O.S. for a shortstop ever since he tried to corral Chuck Wortman of Toledo, whom sly old Joe Tinker signed into his Columbus (O.) club

Had Killefer been able to get Wortman, he would have used that husky young man at short, and shifted Teddy Driscoll on third. He would then have had a formidable outfield of Fournier, Kenworthy, Driscoll and Wortman, but Joe Tinker stepped things up in general when he signed Wortman right from under Killefer's nose. As Zeb Terry is a shortstop standard here last year, and the short field, Master Zeb is going to have a gigantic task before him to fill that very important position.

Where he will run across another Terry is hardly likely, for many baseball experts say no such animal exists. However, they may be used tentatively in case an experienced short stop cannot be procured. In all probability, however, Killefer will have a good man signed before the baseball season opens, using Anderson, the utility man. Driscoll, the rookie, is said to be a swell fielder, but is rather uncertain with the willow. However, if he is played regularly he may discover a batting eye in the pure ozone of Southern California.

Some of Bill Essick's friends think he made a ten strike when he signed Byron Houck from the St. Louis Browns. Houck in 1917 had a different ball for Walter Johnson until he discovered a rare benefit with a spitter. From that time on he smacked of the real stuff, won many games, finishing among the leaders. Houck should add considerable

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strength to the Tigers' twirling staff. Essick is on the lookout for a good left-hander and if he succeeds in signing that necessary article he will have about as nifty a bunch of mounders as ever flung 'em over for a Coast League team.

Ted Brandon from St. Mary's College has been signed as pitcher by Killefer. Ted pitched and played center field for the San Pedro Naval Reserve team last year. He was seen in action at Washington Park several times and made a favorable impression. For a heaver, Ted can lace the apple pretty well. If he should make good on the crag it is more than likely that he will press Ote Crandall pretty hard for the bingling honors of the Angels' tossers.

Killefer is also giving the once over to Ensign Sullivan, first baseman of the San Diego aviation team. Sullivan played one game at Washington Park last season against the Sub Base team of San Pedro. He held down the initial bag and nicely handled everything that came his way. He is fairly clever with the bludgeon and would probably make a good understudy for Fournier.

Bill Essick has written to Tommy Long, his crack right fielder, and hopes to hear from him soon. Bill's mind would be at rest if he were certain that Tommy would be on the job again this season. Long is some swatter and is there now and then with one that scours the bags. Bill will have to scratch his head over the first-sack proposition. He will have Bobby Meusel and Babe Borton both staring him in the face. Babe is the more experienced man and is a .300 hitter, but then again Bobby is mighty with the pole. If needs be, however, Meusel could be utilized in the outer garden, for Bill Essick believes Bobby has one of the best throwing arms of any player he has ever seen.

Rumor has it that Pete Daley, the old reliable, will not be cavorting around the left outskirts this season. It is said that Pete staged an Adeline Patti last year, but his many admirers believe he will be wearing a Tiger uniform just the same this year as of old. From present indications, Essick will have a formidable line-up this season and barring accidents he should be battling around the top at all times.

REDLANDS STAR LOSES FINGERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 3.—Everest Zediker, one of the star athletes of the University of Redlands, lost four fingers of his left hand here last night when they were ground to pieces in the sausage mill of the Alexander Meat Market, where he was working.

Zediker was using a wooden potato masher to force the meat out of the hopper and into the grinder. In some way the masher was knocked out of his hand and the hand slipped down into the grinding knives before he could withdraw it. Zediker was taken to the hospital and the four fingers were amputated near the hand.

NEW GYMNASIUM FOR REDLANDS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Feb. 3.—The University of Redlands is to have a fine gymnasium, where the former S.A. T.C. barracks stood. Carpenters are now busy raising the roof over three-quarters of the big building. Big side lights will be put in and at each side small lean-tos will be constructed for the bleacher seats. The gymnasium will be one of the largest in the city and will give plenty of room for indoor baseball, volley ball and basketball courts. A runway will connect it with the brick building housing dressing-rooms and shower baths.

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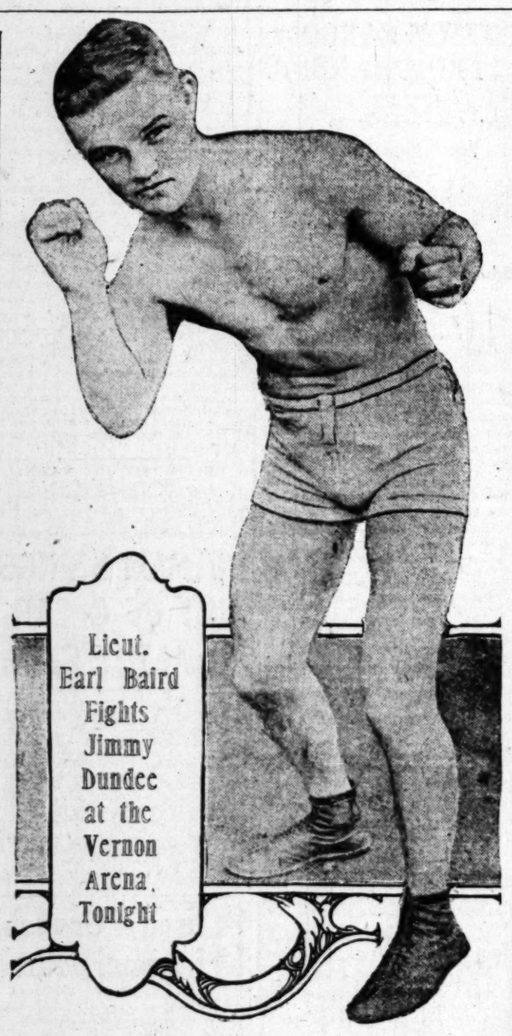

WRESTLERS ARE TRAINING DAILY.

THYE AND YOKEL ARE WORKING HARD FOR THURSDAY'S MATCH.

Ted Thye and Mike Yokel have hit their stride in training for their wrestling match, which will take place in the Los Angeles Athletic Club gymnasium next Thursday evening.

Yokel has worked as he never worked before in order to take off the few extra pounds of avordupois acquired since his last match with Walter Miller. His efforts have not been in vain, as he is in the very best of shape and could go into the ring tonight if necessary.

Mike is out for blood this time. He will go against Thye with the object of beating him in handy fashion, so that he may again meet Miller for the middleweight title. The time he met Miller they put up one of the most sensational matches ever witnessed in this city.

The past two days Yokel has been putting everything he has in his workouts, taking on the best men of the club and completing his work by skipping rope and going through various gymnastic stunts.

The wiseacres are keeping pretty much under cover, and so far very little picking has been done. However, there are those who favor Thye because of his youth and speed, but Yokel has strength, reach and experience to offset Thye's advantages. In other words, a great battle should take place, and fans will certainly get value received.

Mike Yokel worked out last evening with Wallace Duguid and Harold Lloyd for about an hour. The work of Duguid with the furious Mike was highly commendable, and a brilliant future is predicted for the club heavyweight grappler. Yokel is scheduled to do his training in the club gym this noon.

Johnny Hummerich, who has wrestled for the club a number of times, helped prepare Thye for his match yesterday noon. Next Thye took on Salisian, holder of the amateur heavyweight championship of Southern California. The men went at it tooth and nail, and a large gallery took in the workout. Thye will work out again this evening.

Charlie Keppen, manager of L.A. A.C. athletics, announced last night that the preliminaries would be as follows: Wallace Duguid vs. Lester Doyle, heavyweights; Richard Sibert vs. Otto Linnes, heavyweights.

COAST LEAGUE OPENS APRIL 8.

PROPOSED "YOUNG WORLD" SERIES STILL BEING CONSIDERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—The Pacific Coast League will open a twenty-six weeks' session April 8, next, terminating October 5, it was announced here tonight, after the matter had been under discussion by the board of directors during the entire afternoon. The cities in which opening games will be played have not yet been named, but it was announced that these would probably be determined upon at the meeting, which is continuing tonight.

Transportation promises to be one of the most difficult problems of the new season, and it will be necessary to eliminate long jumps as far as possible, according to President Allan T. Baum, who also announced that efforts would be made to secure special rates for the clubs from the Federal Railroad Administration.

A proposed final championship series, in which the pennant winners of the Pacific Coast League would meet the winner of the eastern class AA leagues, either the International League or the American Association is under consideration, it was said.

DEMPSEY DENIES FIGHT WAS FAKE.

DECLARES STATEMENT THAT BATTLE WITH FULTON WAS FRAME-UP UNTRUE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY (Utah) Feb. 3.—John Dempsey, potential opponent of Jess Willard, in a proposed contest for the world's heavyweight pugilistic championship, today returned to this city and issued a denial to charges alleged to have been made in San Francisco last Saturday by Fred Fulton, that a fight between Dempsey and Fulton at Harrison Park, N. J., July 27 last, had been prearranged and that Dempsey had "double-crossed" Fulton.

Dempsey returned here at noon and immediately visited local sport writers and entered his denial to the Fulton charges.

"There was no such agreement," he said. "There was no chance for such an agreement. Fulton and I had an argument before we left the dressing-room and we nearly came to blows then."

KEARNS'S STATEMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Jack Kearns, manager of Jack Dempsey, has issued a signed statement denying the charge made by Fred Fulton that the result of Fulton's bout with Dempsey was a prearranged affair. Kearns states:

"My instructions to the referee of the Fulton-Dempsey bout were to tell the men to shake hands before the bell and to come out fighting.

YANKS RELEASE WALTER BERNHARDT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—The New York American League baseball club today announced the release of Pitcher Walter Bernhardt, a former University of Pennsylvania player, to the Rochester Internationals, and Pitcher Henry Robinson to the Little Rock team of the Southern Association.

WASHINGTON BOXING BILL IS KILLED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Feb. 3.—A bill to legalize boxing matches in Washington was defeated in the State Senate today, 20 to 19.

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BAIRD WILL MEET DUNDEE.

Main Boxing Event on Vernon Card Tonight.

Stahl and Lammerson to Box in Semi-Wind-up.

Atwood vs. Brown and Julian vs. Goode on the Bill.

Lieut. Earl Baird will be seen in action at Vernon again tonight when he meets Jimmy Dundee of Oakland in the main event of the weekly boxing show. There is considerable speculation as to the outcome of the battle, but Baird got away to a flying start when he beat Al Grunan a week ago and plans to meet all comers until he meets with a reverse.

Dundee is one of the most popular boxers that ever appeared at Vernon. On a number of occasions he has come here from Oakland to meet the best boys that could be secured to meet him and he has always given a good account of himself.

Jake Stahl of San Diego and George Lammerson will meet in the semi-wind-up and if Stahl is as good a boy as he was a year or so ago there should be plenty of action. Lammerson has been going good for several weeks and as Stahl is a fellow who likes rough going, they should furnish plenty of excitement.

Harry Atwood and Young Brown will meet in a special bout. Atwood is getting started again after a stretch in the army and is anxious to get away to a good start at Vernon.

Kid Julian of San Diego will box Sammy Goode and Georgie Marks will take on Jimmy Brenton. Jimmy Berry will meet Joe Brown in the curtain-raiser.

J. McQuillian will referee.

TUFTS-LYON TENNIS TOURNEY.

The Tufts-Lyon tennis tournament, which has been postponed a number of times because of a shortage of tennis balls, rain, etc., will be staged next Saturday on the Y.M.C.A. courts. All the matches left over will be held the following day at the San Gabriel Country Club. It is planned to hold the ladies' mixed doubles next week, but the men's singles and doubles will positively be staged this coming week-end. Entries will close next Thursday.

Following are the entries for the men's doubles: Ferrandini and Goshall, Woiff and Reed, Greppin and Partner, Stop and Craig, Biano and Hobgood, Hinkley and Berry, Pickett and partner, Nieto and Platt, Rinehart and Rinehart, Chapelett and partner, Hunley and Thomas, Sumida and partner, Stilwell and Dickenson, Rager and Raphabun, Booth and Kramer, Loto and partner, Smith and Greenwood, Isava and partner, Tominaga and partner, Philpot and partner and Conrad and partner.

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ALEX THE GREAT MAY SOON RETURN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Grover Cleveland Alexander, star pitcher of the Chicago Nationals, now with the American Expeditionary Force, may return to the United States before the opening of the 1919 baseball season, according to a letter President John Heydler of the National League received today from Al Orth, former National League umpire, and now a Y.M.C.A. secretary in France.

Orth wrote that he had met several major league players, including the Cub pitcher, adding:

"When Alexander left here I understood he was on his way back home."

Alexander has been reported with the Army of Occupation.

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A burglar, who used the simple expedient of pulling the metal pins from the kitchen-door hinges of James E. Flanders's home at 1955 Cahuenga avenue, obtained $149 worth of jewelry, Mr. Flanders reported to the patrolman on the beat. A description of the rings, watches and other articles taken was turned over to the detective department yesterday.

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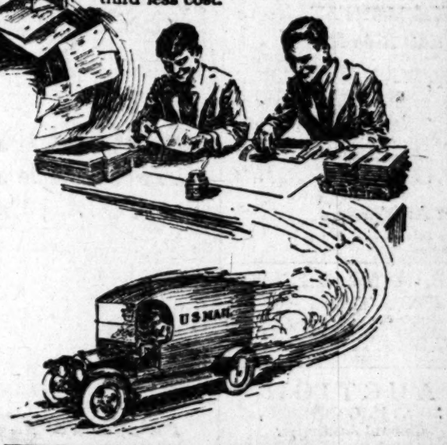

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William Wrigley's Idea for Permanent Memorial.

Auto Prices to Remain up, Says Manufacturer.

Pasadena Preparing Entry for Big Orange Show.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Feb. 3.—William Wrigley, Jr., of Chicago, now spending the winter at his South Orange Grove-avenue home, who has been named as a member of the permanent Roosevelt Memorial Committee, a national organization, is in favor of building a memorial so high that airplanes would be needed to reach the top.

"I would like to see the monument in his honor so high that with the most powerful telescope one could not see the top of it," he said today. "Col. Roosevelt was the greatest American, bar none. I saw a good deal of him between 1912 and the day of his death, and the closer I got to him the better I liked him. The committee has only just been appointed, so I am not prepared to say what form the memorial will take."

NO CHANGE IN PRICE.

William J. McAneeny of Detroit, president of the Essex Motor Car Company, and secretary and factory manager of the Hudson Motor Company, now a guest at Hotel Maryland, said today that he anticipates no radical changes in automobile prices in the immediate future, and predicted that there would be no reductions in wages of factory employees until there is a corresponding reduction in the cost of living. He looks to see generally satisfactory conditions in all lines from now on.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

A. M. Clifford, chief of the fire department, doesn't pose as an expert on furs, but he takes exception to the statement of Joseph W. Isaacs, manager for the H. Liebes & Co. fur store in Pasadena, to the effect that a fire in that establishment this morning damaged the stock to the extent of $75,000. The chief thought $1000 would be the extent of the loss.

Walton & Co., jewelers, who occupy the adjoining storeroom, which also was damaged, said their expensive fixtures were injured to the extent of $500, but that there was no loss of the stock. The furs were all taken out, but not until they smelled strongly of smoke. Mr. Isaacs asserts that they are ruined by smoke and water. The stores are at 393 and 395 East Colorado street, at the corner of Euclid. The fire started from the floor gas furnaces. The flames were extinguished after they had burned a hole in the partition and another in the ceiling. The damage to building is under $500, according to Chief Clifford.

PHILANTHROPIST HERE.

William Volker, who fathered the municipal pawnshop in Kansas City, and who is famous through the Middle West as a philanthropist, is registered at Hotel Green. He gives very heavily to charity, but generally the public does not discover it except by accident, or in a case like the municipal pawnshop, where publicity is necessary for the success of the institution. The Kansas City pawnshop has been a very big success.

SOLDIERS MUST REGISTER.

City Attorney James H. Howard has ruled that soldiers who have not registered since January 1, 1918, will be unable to qualify as electors to participate in the special election called for February 18, when Pasadena will vote on the proposition to issue bonds to cover the expense of erecting a memorial hall. The law reads that one must be registered twenty-five days or more before an election to be eligible to vote.

PREPARING ENTRY.

The Pasadena Board of Trade is preparing a beautiful entry for the National Orange Show at San Bernardino. It will be typically Californian, with roses and oranges playing a prominent part in the decorative scheme.

The balance of the Victor Marsh Co.'s fine stock of Chinese art is ordered to be sold out at auction immediately. What is left of the collection of thirty years' business standing in Pasadena will be sold at once, positively without regard of cost. Notwithstanding the embargo on Chinese art objects and their high cost and scarcity at the present time, an opportunity is afforded collectors and decorators to secure fine things in antique bronzes, porcelains, rare lacquers, embroideries, furniture, screens, ivories, etc. The auction is ordered by C. A. Shelhamer, president of the Victor Marsh Co., Inc., and will be started on Wednesday, February 5, and following days at 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. In conjunction with the disposal of the Chinese art objects a remarkable collection of Chinese and Persian rugs and carpets will be dispersed also at auction. The sale will take place in Pasadena at 404 E. Colorado (opposite Maryland Hotel,) and will be under the direction of the eminent expert, J. Leon Phillips. —[Advertisement.

Have you seen the new sapphire blue pearl necklaces, brooches, bar pins and rings, with sterling mountings, that sell for three dollars and less, at Grace Nicholson's Shop? Also a full and exclusive line of butterfly jewelry reasonably priced.—[Advertisement.

OCEAN YIELDS BODY.

Was Victim of Boat Capsizing Off Carpinteria Coast January Twentieth.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 3.—The body of Joseph Lopes, who, with his grandson, Fred Dominguez, was drowned January 20, off the Carpinteria coast, when their boat capsized, came ashore today. Patrols have been stationed along the coast to watch for the boy's body. Lopez was one of the best known residents of this section, having lived at Carpinteria for thirty-two years.

POLITICIAN PASSES.

Jesse Hurlbut, Republican war horse and delegate to the Republican National Convention at the time Theodore Roosevelt was nominated for the Presidency, died today. Mr. Hurlbut had resided here for forty-five years, being one of the foremost business men of the county. He had been steadily failing for several months.

PLAN BOND ELECTION.

Santa Barbara county's proposed $300,000 memorial Courthouse and City Hall plans advanced another step today when the board retained William J. Locke, bond expert of San Francisco, to prepare all the necessary data for the bond election and to collect for competitive plans for the group of buildings.

Architects over the State have signified a purpose to enter the competition, a prize of $500 being set aside for the plans accepted. The bonds will bear 5 per cent. interest and run thirty years, being retired at the rate of $10,000 a year.

OFFICER'S WIFE DIES.

Katherine Schwartz Sherman Victim of Influenza Complications.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SIERRA MADRE, Feb. 3.—Kathryn Schwartz Sherman, wife of Lieut. Cecil Kent Sherman of the Arcadia Balloon Field, died Saturday from influenza and other complications. The deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Schwartz of this place, and one of nine children. She was well known in the younger social set of Pasadena and Sierra Madre, and a bride of eight months. She was noted for her love of the outdoor life, her high ideals and Christian character. Her brother, Lieut. Charles Schwartz, is an instructor in the Mather Aviation Field at Sacramento. Another brother, William, is at present stationed in France, and was one of the first to leave this section with the A.E.F. overseas service.

The funeral is to be held Tuesday, at 3 o'clock, from the Schwartz residence. Interment will be at the Sierra Madre Cemetery, where a detail of soldiers from Arcadia Field will be present.

AUCTION
TODAY 10 a. m.
856 South Figueroa St.

Elegant furnishings of 10 rooms; fine Wilton rug, 10.6x15, in two-tone brown and blue; Axminster, Brussels and Velvet rugs; massive velour rocker, like new, cost $50; reed tables, rockers and chairs, lady's desk, mahogany bookcase, leather and fumed oak rockers, fumed and golden oak dining tables, buffet and chairs; massive oak and white enameled dressers; two-inch brass, white enameled and oak beds; velour and denim box couches, three sanitary couches, Hoosier kitchen cabinet, refrigerator, three and four-burner gas ranges; an abundance of bedding, linen and curtains; electric lamps, clock, dishes, kitchen utensils, etc.

GEORGE T. PARKER, Auct.
Member L. A. Auctioneers' Ass'n.

AUCTION
at 2818 Temple St.
Tues., Feb. 4, 10 a.m.

Take Temple street car to Occidental Blvd. Complete good furnishings of 5 rooms, including high grade player piano, bench and 55 rolls music; massive fumed oak library table and pedestal dining table, 6 chairs to match, serving table, rockers, cretumer, sewing machine, dressers, chiffoniers, 2-inch continuous post beds, steel springs, cotton mattress, sanitary couch, curtains, portieres, pillows, bric-a-brac, Axminster and Brussels rugs, B. side oven gas range, refrigerator, heaters, dishes, cooking utensils, kitchen cabinet, also chest of carpenters' tools. Don't miss this sale, as owner is leaving city, and goods will be sold to the highest bidder. Without limit or reserve. A. L. MOXLEY, Auctioneer. Member L. A. Auct. Assn. Vermont 4749.

AUCTION

If you have furniture for sale sell it this week at auction. No sales scarcely—with demand. Well, you never saw the like.

STROUSE & HULL, Aucrs. 62705.

AUCTION

10 rooms, and furniture arriving today. See ad tomorrow morning. H. B. NASH, Auctioneer.

WANTS TRUCK LINE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 3.—A woman rushes in where "wise" men fear to tread. Isabelle Felton, doing business under the name of Interurban Transfer Company, has applied for permission to operate a freight, baggage, express and truck line between Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Redlands, Santa Ana and way points. The hearing is to be before the Railroad Commission February 6 in Los Angeles.

FAMILY SICK, STORE ROBBED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 2.—William M. Duff is convinced that troubles come in bunches. Yesterday Mr. Duff and his family, consisting of wife and four children, were taken violently ill with ptomaine poisoning from eating some supposedly fresh pork at luncheon. Last night, while they were all still in bed and very sick, his place of business, the Farmers' Cash Store, was burglarized, $9 taken out of the cash register, and over $100 worth of guns, knives, shells and fishing tackle taken.

REPORT SIX FLU CASES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 3.—There were but six cases of influenza reported for today and yesterday.

COTTON CARGO FROM HARBOR.

First Consignment to Leave for Europe, Orient.

Broncho to Load Here, Destination New York.

Dredger Chinook Calls for Fuel and Supplies.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Feb. 3.—Cotton will soon be moving through this port to Europe and the Orient. Arrangements have been completed for shipment as soon as cargo space can be secured. The cotton will be handled by the Outer Harbor Dock and Wharf Company and it is probable that the first consignment will be taken by the British steamer Professor, now outbound from the United Kingdom for this port.

The Professor is one of the Harrison Line fleet and is the first steamer sent out from Europe since the company suspended sailings during the early part of the war. The steamer sailed from Liverpool a few days ago.

AUSTRALIAN COMING.

Another ship bound for this port with offshore cargo is the motorship La Merced from Melbourne with 1600 tons of Australian products. She will discharge her full cargo here but no arrangements have been made for loading her outbound. If sufficient cargo for the return trip can be secured the motorship may be sent back to Australia from here. Otherwise she will proceed to San Francisco.

BRONCHO FOR NEW YORK.

The steamer Broncho will take the first New York cargo through the Panama Canal from this port since the high charter rates took away the steamers that were doing heavy business in competition with the transcontinental railroads. Space for 600 tons has been allotted for this port by W. R. Grace & Co., and more than half this amount has already been secured.

CHINOOK TAKES FUEL.

The big government dredger Chinook arrived today from Astoria and will proceed to Charleston, N. C., via the Panama Canal, after taking fuel and stores here. The Chinook was formerly the transport Grant and was remodeled for the United States army engineers at San Francisco in 1903. Since that time she has been employed almost continually at the mouth of the Columbia River. The big dredger resembles a large freighter, being 445 feet long and registering 4254 tons gross.

UPLAND RESIDENT DIES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

UPLAND, Feb. 3.—Jesse N. Busby, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Busby of this city, died Sunday morning of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. Deceased leaves a widow, two little sons, parents and one brother. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Draper chapel. Interment at Rialto Cemetery. Mrs. Busby's younger brother, Ralph Creighton, was killed in battle in France several months ago.

PHONE MANAGER QUITS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ORANGE, Feb. 3.—Keller E. Watson, manager of the Pacific Telephone Exchange at Orange since it was established sixteen years ago, has resigned, effective March 1. During Mr. Watson's term the telephone subscribers of his exchange increased from forty-six to 1184.

MORE RAIN NEEDED IN NORTH, SAYS BUREAU.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—The exact weather situation in California now is unsettled, according to the bureau. More rain is needed in the north portion, but no immediate prospect of rain here is promised at this time, the bureau said. In Southern California the precipitation at various points for this time of the year is below normal, but in the northern portion of the State some places have received more than the normal rainfall, according to bureau figures.

Crops in Southern California have been done invaluable good by the light rains that have fallen in that section during the past few days, according to the Weather Bureau here. During the last twenty-four hours ending at 5 o'clock today, San Diego registered .32 of an inch of rain, Escondido .46, Los Angeles .04, Corona .10, Pomona .02, Santa Ana .12, San Pedro .14, Riverside .02, Redlands .01.

TULARE KEEPS UNDER SUGAR ALLOWANCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VISALIA, Feb. 2.—In winding up the affairs of the food administration for Tulare county, George W. Fleming, the executive officer in charge of the county work, paid a tribute to dealers in foodstuffs for their hearty co-operation in the work of the Federal government, with the statement that the record of Tulare county as a whole in food conservation work ranked with the best in California.

Mr. Fleming says, in connection with the wheat-saving campaign, that grocers, bakers and others turned in for shipment to San Francisco more than 60,000 pounds of flour, and that sales of wheat flour decreased almost immediately more than 60 per cent. During the entire period of the food conservation programme Tulare county people used less than 70 per cent. of the sugar allotted by the State Food Administrator.

POLSAM BRINGS JOY OF CLEAR HEALTHY SKIN

To skin that once was eruptional and unsightly Poslam brings again the glow of health for many. And what relief when blemishes long tolerated are at last disposed of! A highly concentrated healing power qualifies Poslam for this work. Like a pacifying balm to burning, irritated surfaces. You should not suffer—should not allow any skin disorder to remain in evidence one day longer without finding out just what Poslam can do for it.

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"Cured a 'Grouch' by Internal Baths"

Mr. Joseph A. Wells writes Dr. Chas. A. Tyrrell of New York as follows:

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If you bathe internally with the "J. B. L. Cascade," you will find yourself always bright, confident and capable. Poisonous waste in the lower intestines makes us bilious, blue, dull and nervous. Internal baths are Nature's own cure for constipation — just antiseptic warm water properly applied. Drugs force Nature—the "J. B. L. Cascade" gently assists her.

It is produced by Chas. A. Tyrrell, M. D., of New York, who has specialized on Internal Bathing for 25 years and will be shown and explained to you by The Owl Drug Co., who will also be glad to give free on request an interesting booklet called "Why Man of Today is Only 50 per cent. Efficient," in which covers the subject in a very thorough way.

Clip this out as a reminder, and ask for the booklet the first time you are in the neighborhood of an Owl Drug Store. —[Advertisement.

TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.

This Week's Special Values

China, Glassware, Silver and Kitchen Utensils

BIG SALE OF DINNER SETS

$30,000 CHINA STOCK ON SALE

Our February dinnerware sale opens today, and will include our entire stock of nearly 100 stock decorations—Haviland china, Limoges china, Bernardaud china—all high-class patterns, in addition a large assortment of English and American semi-porcelains.

Hand Decorated Bread and Butter Plates

An exceptional opportunity to buy them this week. 1000 assorted decorations, pink, rose, yellow rose, violets, forget-me-nots, daisy, blackberry, currants and other fruits. While they last, each **49c**
Limit 6 to a customer.

As Is Cups and Plates

Small lot of about 200 decorated and white Cups and Saucers and plates to be closed out today at a fraction of cost.

Cups only .....5c and 10c ea.
Saucers only .....5c and 10c ea.
Plates only .....5c and 10c ea.

Buy Your Gas Range Now

Reliable and Dengler Gas Ranges

Some decided values this week.

We set them up complete with flue pipe.

Extra Special Toilet Paper

at less than wholesale. Our fine VALCOUR TISSUE this week only

6¼c a Roll, 4 for 25c
Well worth 12c roll.

$6.25 Case 100 Rolls

Extra Heavy Galvanized Garbage Cans

Tuesday and Wednesday
5-gallon size. Extra deep sanitary cover. Regular value, $1.50. Sale price, now, each **98c**
Limit 3 to a customer.

Shop by Telephone
Ring Up Order Department—
Main 528—Home 60749.

Alarm Clocks

100 nickel-plated Alarm Clocks. Guaranteed to wake up the soundest sleeper. Reg. price $1.75 each. Our sale price, each **$1.49**

Roger & Bro. 26-Piece Silver-Plated Set

Fancy pattern Knives, 6 Teaspoons, 6 Spoons, 1 butter knife, 1 sugar shell, 1 cold meat fork, 1 gravy ladle, 1 pie knife, 1 cake knife, 1 satin-lined chest; value $15.00, price ..... set .....

Green Art Fern Dish

Makes a beautiful Table ornament at small cost.

Can be had in two sizes, 7-inch diameter ..... 10-inch diameter .....

Semi-Porcelain 43-pc. Bungalow Set, Rich Gold Edge

6 Dinner Plates, 6 Pie Plates, 6 Bouillon Plates, 6 Coffee Cups, 1 Platter, 1 Open Vegetable, 1 Salad Bowl, 1 Sugar Bowl, 1 Cream Pitcher, 1 Gravy Bowl, Regular $12.50. Sale price .....

Combination Slop Jar

Just like cut—cover and bail. Regular value. Clearing out .....

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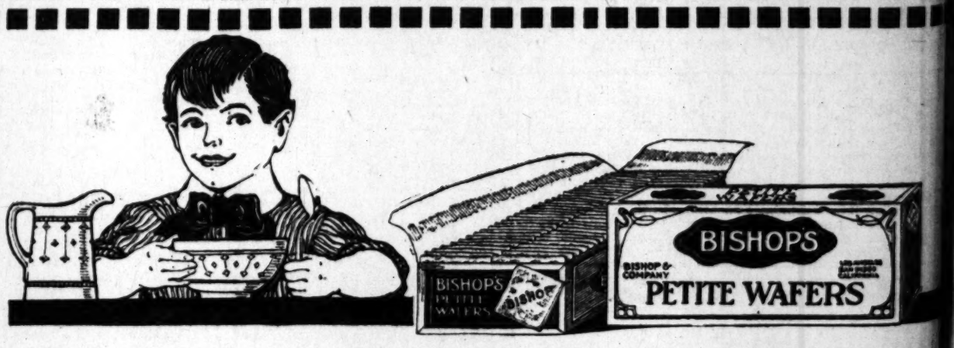

Are your children in the front line of good health—the line of sturdy childhood, of rosy cheeks and normal weight and growth.

The food value and nutriment in good, fresh-baked crackers like PETITE WAFERS, will do much for the health of the child.

With the milk, the soup, the chocolate, the jam, to munch or between meals, for every hungry time, Petite Wafers are the nourishing food—and so good and fresh, and always ready.

A large package with double row of crackers **20c**

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Shipworkers Strike,

A Colossal Business Mistake.

The future of the Shipbuilding Industry lies with the men and the management. It is as much the problem of the one side as of the other. Increased output and lowered costs can be secured by more intelligent direction and effort without a sacrifice to either side.

But it can be done only by sympathetic and intelligent co-operation between the shipworkers and the yard owners; never by strike and strife.

The strike is not only a breach of an agreement with the government, but, with the future of the industry hanging in the balance, it is a colossal business mistake.

Congress authorized the President of the United States to spend THREE BILLION FIVE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS ($3,500,000,000.00) for the construction of ships and the President selected the Emergency Fleet Corporation as his agent to carry out this program. The German submarine was at that time sinking vessels from four to five times as fast as English and American yards were producing them.

It was America's job to beat the submarine. Old shipyards were extended and new yards were built on both the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts.

Contracts were placed for wood ships, composite ships, concrete ships and steel ships—for any ship that would float, propel itself and serve any kind of a useful purpose—because we were building a fleet for emergency.

Wages were increased. Overtime and Sunday work were ordered. Carloads of necessary material were sent by express. Three hundred thousand men were added to the fifty thousand shipworkers, and the government bore the expense of transporting them and training them. The government paid these beginners high wages while they were acquiring skill and experience. For the Nation needed ships and was willing to pay the price.

The yards of the Pacific coast and the Great Lakes responded nobly, for they had been longer in the game and had a larger number of experienced shipworkers to draw from. Even the new yards created since the war was declared began deliveries.

Then the armistice was declared and the building situation was changed over night. The Nation began figuring the cost.

And the Emergency Fleet Corporation was asked: "If you were building a lot of ships for an emergency, why don't you quit, now that the emergency is over?"

"Ships are costing the Government from two and one-half to three times what they cost three years ago, and fifty per cent. more than they can be bought in England at the present time. So quit building until the costs go down to where we can compete."

The Emergency Fleet Corporation thereupon took account of stock. It found that it was building more wood ships than it could use or sell, and so it cancelled those that hadn't been begun.

It was found that a merchant marine was something more than an aggregation of ships. It had to be a well balanced fleet that provided a certain proportion of fast passenger ships, of slower going passenger and cargo carriers, and of many ships built especially for certain lines of trade.

And upon review of the numbers and types of vessels building under the emergency program, the Emergency Fleet Corporation decided to suspend work on a portion of it so in case Congress decided to permit us to spend the money authorized, it could substitute more desirable and necessary types of ships for those supended.

It is impossible to build a perfect "ready-to-use" merchant marine. Part of it, at least, must be built to to suit the needs of business that will develop through the effort and enterprise of the future.

It is necessary, therefore, to proceed more slowly than heretofore in the completion of the present program. Overtime and Sunday work and other expenses due to speed have therefore been cut out.

And we are calling on the managements and the shipworkers to co-operate in such a way as to make high wages and low labor cost possible in the shipyards as it has been made possible in the automobile industry.

Let me cite three examples of how high wages and reduced output per man have increased the labor costs of vessels. One of the best producing yards on the Pacific coast shows that the average output per man is seventy per cent. of that of ten years ago, and the average rate of pay seventy per cent. higher. This means a labor cost two and four tenths times greater than two years ago.

Three Atlantic coast yards show labor cost from two and a half to three times higher than two years ago.

We can look for more output per man as the new men in the yard grow in experience, but in the meantime the future of the industry is in the balance.

Foreign orders cannot be secured until costs go down and even the government cannot continue shipbuilding indefinitely if every ship shows a heavy loss.

I am presenting the facts as they are before the United States Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation, and my advice to the men is: "Go back to work and get together with the owners to see what can be done to put the shipyards in shape to compete for the world's business in shipbuilding."

Signed:

CHARLES PIEZ,

Director-General United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation

Philadelphia, February 3, 1919

(Statement No. Two.)

PRIVATE RAILS CONTROL URGED

Director-General Favors Few Big Systems.

Close Federal Supervision is Also Recommended.

Hines Says Present Complaints are Psychological.

[ST. A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Exaggerated complaint against government railroad operation growing out of a natural reaction from war-time patriotic tension is a "psychological factor," which makes it difficult at this time to develop a permanent solution of the railway problem, Director-General Hines said today in testifying before the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee.

This is one important reason, Mr. Hines said, why government operation either should be extended five years, and time given for calm deliberation, or the roads turned back to private management before the present twenty-one months' period expires.

Citing many cases of complaints against government operation, which he said were based on misapprehension or failure to understand railroad practices, Mr. Hines said:

"Apparently every hardship or difficulty connected with the war-time operation of the railroads proves momentarily to be regarded as a reason why there should be no solution except a prompt turning back of the railroads to all the railroad companies with new legislation which really makes no fundamental changes whatever. I do not believe this state of mind will change until there is an opportunity to look in an understanding way at the results of Federal control under peace conditions.

"Therefore, the importance of giving a fair and reasonable test to Federal control under peace conditions is not merely to give a fair showing to advocates of government ownership, but also to give a fair showing to the advocates of any plan other than the plan of going back to the old regime."

Mr. Hines explained that he believes the best solution would be development of a few large railway systems, privately owned and operated, under strict government supervision.

"There can be no solution through the operation of railroads by the numerous existing railroad corporations with their widely varying financial structures," he said. "The deep-seated suspicion of the public and of labor that there is serious over-capitalization largely negatives all representations as to the propriety to any given level of railroads operating income. To perpetuate existing capitalization means to perpetuate suspicion and unrest and will defeat any plan despite the other good qualities the plan may have.

"No plan can be permanently successful which leaves railroad operations with a large number of railroad corporations, some strong and some weak. So long as this condition continues, it will result that on any given basis of rates and wages, some railroads will prosper to a great degree and others will fail.

"If any plan of private management is to be successful, it ought to provide for the participation of the government and perhaps of labor in the profits in excess of some comparatively moderate return.

"This country has settled down to the definite conception that railroads ought not to receive more than a reasonable return and also that they ought not to receive less. Theoretically this appears to be a reasonable definite standard. Practically the standard is impossible of application under the proposed plan of private management. The logical thing to do is for the government to ascertain what the fair return ought to be and to guarantee that to the railroads and then if it wishes the benefit of the increased efficiency which may probably be expected from private initiative, it can permit a moderate participation in any profits in excess of that return.

"It is recognized that it is indispensable that capital invested in railroads shall yield a sufficient return to attract additional capital. But the proposed plan of private management involves the whole subject in so much confusion and uncertainty as to make the prospect of obtaining additional needed capital highly unfavorable. The real object sought to be accomplished can be obtained without all this uncertainty and injury by the government itself assuring once and for all a fair return."

Mr. Hines will continue his testimony tomorrow.

EASTERN CITRUS MARKET.

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges.	Lemons.
January 31	96	27
February 1, 2	178	49
Total cars to date this season	4,915	1,908
Total cars to same date last season	3,290	779

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.

January 30	0	0
January 31	0	0
Total cars to date this season	2,918	314
Total cars to same date last season	1,570	96

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

January 30, 31	0	0
Total cars to date this season	244	1
Total cars to same date last season	202	0

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Twenty-four cars navels, two mixed cars navels and seedless, and four cars lemons sold. Market slightly lower on navels, about 10c; and larger, lower on other sizes. Market slightly lower on lemons. Weather fair.

NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.
Gd. Queen, Sml'D	$4.50	Al Creola, Imp	4.15	Blackbull, LMr	4.50	Washington, LMr	3.90
Gd. Queen, Imp	4.10	Al Creola, Imp, AH	4.15	Bowk, SAr	4.00	NAVELS—Navels.	Avge.
Gd. Queen, Imp, AH	2.90	Robusta, Imp, AH	2.90	OK, LMr	3.45	Alta Oneida, ARiv	3.00
Gd. Queen, Imp, OKr	3.15	Robusta, LMr	3.15	Robusta, LMr	3.90	Hobo	3.45
Lion Head, HiLk	3.80	Cor. Crown, QCr	4.50	Robusta, LMr	3.90	Golden Cross, Okr	4.20
Champion Diamond	2.70	Camel, QCr	3.80	Golden Cross, Okr	4.20	Whitsler, STx	5.00
Gd. Queen, Sml'D	3.80	Camel, OKr	4.00	Pico	4.00	Pico	4.00
Gd. Queen, Imp	4.00	Camel Neuron, SAr	4.55	Crowna Sml'D	4.00	Quaker Girl	5.00
Gd. Queen, IPD	3.60	Glen Alps, ACOr	4.85	Royal, Imp, QCr	4.00	Quaker Girl	5.00
Challenge, HiLk	3.60	Glen Alps, ACOr	4.85	Royal, Imp, QCr	4.00	Grandee, STx	5.00
Clear Head, HiLk	3.60	Iris, IMr	4.15	Royal, Imp, QCr	3.65	Rosamonde, STx	5.50
Iris, IMr	4.15	Royal, Imp, QCr	3.65	Royal, Imp, QCr	3.65	Rosamonde	5.50
Seal Rock, DNG	3.40	Valley Falls, RRa	3.15	Echo, STx	4.20	Alamo	4.50
Acorn, AFD	3.30	Plaisd, OKr	3.85	Echo, Imp	4.15	Alamo	4.50
Big Tree, CCr	4.40	Plaisd, OKr	3.85	Plaisd, Imp, OKr	4.00	Nimrod	4.00
Big Tree, CCr	4.40	Parrot, SAr	4.00	Tanbra, Double	3.00	Nimrod	4.00
Silver Lake, CCr	3.75	Hawk, SAr	3.50	SHr, Imp	2.80	Uniform, LMr	3.85
Gd. Greta, CCr	3.20	Jackson, SAr	4.05	Hawk, Imp, SAr	3.45	LEMONS—	Avge.
						LM, LMr	2.70

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Nine cars oranges, two cars lemons sold. Market is steady on oranges, fancy grades of lemons dull.

NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	TANGERINES—	Avge.
P. Tree, SMCo	$3.85	Crown Jewel, RHv	4.05	Lily, QCr	3.70	Perpetual, Rivr	3.50
Twin Peaks, THP	3.50	Jack & Jill, RHv	3.60	Paul Norton, SAr	4.20	LEMONS—	Avge.
Twin Peaks, THP	3.50	Jack & Jill, RHv	3.60	Paul Norton, SAr	4.20	Pauls, Nurseries, SAr	2.60
Marigold, Cura	3.45	California, RIvr	3.50	Laurel, QCr	4.00	Fuchsia	4.00
Quail, RHv	4.00			Princess, QCr	4.30	Kenneth Maid, COr	4.00
Rainbow, ELC	3.45					Basket	2.00

CLEVELAND, Feb. 3.—Seven cars oranges, one car lemons sold. Market is doing better on both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	LEMONS—	Avge.
S. A. Rios, SoCo	$3.35	Gondolier, FPCo	2.75	Pet. SDr	4.10
Twin Peaks, THP	3.50	Rosor Bright, SRz	4.10	Goodell	3.70
Twin Peaks, THP	3.50	Sunrose, Bond, SRz	3.60	Glenwood, SRz	3.60
S. A. Red, SoCo	3.20	La Paloma, RIvr	3.50		

CINCINNATI, Feb. 3.—Three cars oranges, two cars lemons sold. Market is lower on oranges.

NAVELS—	Avge.	BLOOD—	Avge.	LEMONS—	Avge.
Red Cross, Imp	3.20	Thos. Adler, RMCo	1.30	Silver Cord, Ocr	4.10
Red Cross, Imp	3.20	Lighthouse	1.85	Gateway	3.50
Sunstone, STr	3.85				
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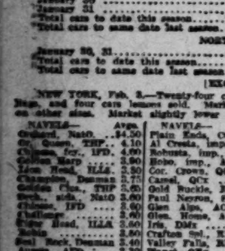
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3.—Four cars oranges, two cars lemons sold. Market is steady on both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	LEMONS—	Avge.
Dew	3.50	Lochinvar, RHv	3.00	Lake, OKr	3.30	Rolling	4.20
Amber	3.50	Belt, RHv	3.00	Flyer, OKr	3.35	Blue Scroll, OKr	3.90
Hungry, RHv	3.45	Dove, OKr	2.70	Owl, OKr	3.00	Cupola	2.35
						Red Scroll	2.20

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 3.—Seven cars oranges, one car lemons sold. Market is steady on both oranges and lemons.

NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	NAVELS—	Avge.	TANGERINES—	Avge.
Gd. Queen, Imp	4.00	Red Flag, QCr	3.30	Braeside, Rivr	3.35	Blue Label, COr	3.35
Gd. Queen, Imp	4.00	Sliscon, QCr	3.35	P. of Cal, Rivr	3.20	Red Label, COr	3.15
Twin, ACOr	3.90	La Palma, Rivr	3.60	Happy Boy	2.00	Gem	2.65
Blue Flag, QCr	3.90	Garfian, Imp	Rlv 4.40	California, Rivr	2.00		

After Influenza—What Then?



OH, MY BACK!

After this Spanish influenza has swept the country almost like the "black death" did in Europe in the Fourteenth Century, after the storm has passed, we are confronted by the wrecks of men and women who have been left in a weakened condition, with pale faces and feelings of general lassitude and weakness. It is a fact to be borne in mind that the effort on the part of nature to throw off the poisons during the attack of Spanish influenza results sometimes in nephritis, or inflammation of the kidneys.

In view of the seriousness of this disease as a result of toxemia, it is most essential that treatment be directed towards prompt elimination of the toxins (poisons) from the body. This means that the excretory organs—the bowels, skin and kidneys—should be excited to their best efforts to throw off the poisons. Send to the drug store and get castor oil, or a pleasant laxative such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, which are made of May-apple, aloes and jalap, and take these every other day. This will excite efficient bowel action. At the same time, if you suffer from backache, irritation of the bladder and the kidneys, shown by the frequent calls to get out of bed at night, considerable sediment in the water, brick-dust deposit, perhaps headache in the morning, you should obtain at the drug store a simple tablet which expels the uric acid and the toxic poisons from the system. This is called "Anuric" (anti-uric), and was first put up by Dr. Pierce. By its action on the bladder and kidneys, it expels these toxic poisons.

To build up the strength and improve the blood—because after the influenza there are fewer of the white blood corpuscles and too few red blood corpuscles—take an iron tonic such as "Irontic" (to be had in tablets at drug stores), or some good herbal tonic such as one that has served the greatest usefulness for the past fifty years, namely, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, made from wild barks and roots, without alcohol, and sold in tablet or liquid form.

TO SELL CEMENT PLANT.

City will Advertise for Bids for its Monolith Establishment.

Permission to advertise for sale the city's monolith cement plant for not less than $450,000 was given yesterday by the Council, despite objection by Councilman Conrad, who thought the matter should be decided by the people.

Councilman Criswell urged that the property be sold because, he said, as long as the city retains it the taxpayers will lose approximately $40,000 a year. Taxes, depreciation in value and interest on the investment contribute to this loss, he said.

Mr. Reeves declared that the site is a "white elephant" and that, having served its purpose, the best plan is to get rid of it.

A report from Efficiency Director McQuiston was to the effect that cement may be purchased from private individuals at less cost than the city can manufacture it.

GROCERY HELD UP.

Two Armed Bandits Get Owner's Cash and a Watch.

Two young bandits, unmasked, but armed with business-like revolvers, entered the grocery store of C. E. Kennell at 3933 Ascot avenue last night, commanded Mr. Kennell to throw up his hands, and, while he held them up in the air, went through his pockets, and his cash register, and escaped with $37 in cash and the man's watch.

The bandits entered the store while Kennell was alone, and did not waste any time. While bandit No. 1 "covered" the victim, the second bandit walked over to the cash register and emptied it, getting $25 in silver. In the meantime, the first bandit was "frisking" Kennell, and extracted $12 and his watch.

Both bandits backed out of the store and ran down Fortieth street. Patrolmen Wessel and Napier, who took the report, searched the neighborhood, but found no trace of the bandits.

HIS PLEA IS IN VAIN.

Mail Fraud Defendant, on Release from Patton, Wants Furniture.

Dr. Herman Silverman, late of the Los Angeles Wasserman Laboratory, who is charged, with Klyde H. Young, with fraudulent use of the mails in connection with alleged fake blood tests, applied to United States District Attorney Moody, yesterday, for the return of the office furniture and effects that were seized at the time of his arrest. He did not get them.

Silverman was recently released from the insane asylum at Patton, where he was committed at the request of his bondsmen. When it was decided that Silverman was not insane, his bondsmen were about to send him to Chicago, but a protest was filed against such disposition of his case, and he has been sent back to Los Angeles for trial.

According to the statements of Postoffice Inspector Cookman, Silverman fleeced scores of individuals in Los Angeles and vicinity.

TO GET JOBS BACK.

City Employees Who Went to War Will be Taken Care Of.

Former city employees who return from service in the army or navy will be given their old jobs. This was unanimously decided by the Council yesterday. It was stated that in several instances heads of departments had replaced place their former employees at work, for personal reasons. The Council took the stand that the departmental heads should not be permitted to exercise such authority.

"All should get their old jobs," said President Palmer, "but if they are found to be incompetent or that there is a good reason for removing them the matters may be adjusted later."

The Civil Service Commission also will work in the interests of the former employees, it was stated.

ORGANIZE COMPANY TO MINE GRAPHITE.

A company is in process of formation here, according to Dr. J. W. Sanders, a Decatur (Ill.) promoter, to take over, mine and prepare for market a large deposit of graphite in the Little Tejunga mining district, about twenty-six miles from this city. Backing the company are Albert Mallman, a mining man, and Jacob L. Keller, of this city. It is claimed that the graphite in this deposit is of the highest percentage of purity of any in the country, and that it contains much flake graphite, valuable for making crucibles and for other uses. The ore in sight is said to be enough to keep a mill busy for eight years. The promoters say the company will build their plant, install machinery and begin operations at once.

ORPHAN GETS DAMAGES.

Parents of Twelve-Year-Old Died Since He Was Injured.

A jury in Judge Monroe's court yesterday awarded Carl Konig, an orphan, 12 years old, $4000 damages for injuries he sustained when a truck belonging to the Magnet Lumber Company struck his bicycle and threw him off.

Since he was injured both parents of the lad have died.

ASKS DAMAGES.

Walter Means filed suit against Clyde Turner yesterday demanding $2000 damages for alleged malicious prosecution. He said that his arrest October 25, 1918, on the charge of stealing $140 was malicious and without probable cause, and that his imprisonment until October 30 injured his good name and reputation. At the preliminary examination the complaint states that the case was dismissed for insufficient evidence.

MEET IN MOROSCO HALL.

Clara Barton Tent, Daughters of Veterans, will meet Friday evening at Morosco Hall, Majestic Theater Building, and will hold subsequent regular meetings there instead of at Patriotic Hall, the former meeting place.

INCORPORATIONS.

Jones-Elsebush Auto Company, incorporators, Leonard D. Jones, Otto Elsebush, J. D. Ward; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $20. Hunter Tool Company, incorporators, H. H. Hunter, G. E. Moreland, G. L. Knox; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $150.

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Minimum space, 2 lines, or 12 words.
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ONE-TIME NOTICES—
Of Special Interest.

[Under the following headings the most timely and effective announcements of their respective kinds are constantly printed.]

ADIEF HATS RENOVATED, BLOCKED AND DYED. THIRD FLOOR, 629 S. BROADWAY. LOS ANGELES HAT CO. Phone 10247. ELEVATOR ENTRANCE, Platt's Music Store.

DOCTOR FOR MEN—SPECIALTY 30 YEARS. Latest methods. Permanent results. Examinations free. 219 Douglas Bldg., Seventh or La Salle-sts. car. Phone 22141. No sign. Come today.

DOES ANY ONE OWE YOU MONEY? CASH found for bad accounts, notes. COMMERCIAL REDEMPTION ASSOCIATION, 502 Haas Bldg.

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—
And Stolen.

LOST—TWO DIAMOND RINGS, MONDAY AFTERNOON IN LADIES' DRESSING-ROOM 12TH FLOOR BRACK-SHOPS. PLEASE RETURN AND RECEIVE LIBERAL REWARD. MRS. J. SACHS, 181 E. COLORADO ST., PASADENA. PHONE FAIR. 5043 Dec.

LOST—BETWEEN L. A. SALT LAKE BY, STATION AND 1ST AND MAIN, small leather wallet, containing valuable papers and about $20 in currency. Finder may keep money and will receive additional reward if letters be returned. Address WM. GARRIDE, 7100 Sunset Blvd.

LOST — DIAMOND PLATINUM PIN ON OCEAN Front, January 30th. Finder return to MR. PHILLIPS, Venice Drug Co., and receive reward.

LOST—SATURDAY AFTERNOON ON HOLLYWOOD car, or on Hollywood blvd., between Hudson and Gordon, small gold watch, initials E.C.A., in colored handle, bearing initials E.C.A., in white. Finder please call 576332. Reward.

LOST—REWARD. GOLD NUGGET CLUSTER PIN, blue bunch of grapes and green enamel diamonds, 3 large imitation sapphire, lost Sunday, between Hoover's and Figueroa cars, Adams and W. 7th st. 52564 or 1807 W. 24TH ST.

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LOST—IF LYNX AND MARIBOU COLLARS, LOST from Green bungalow, La Salona, Pasadena, Saturday night, are returned to STAR-NEWS, Pasadena, reward; no questions asked.

LOST—IN PASADENA, SUNDAY, A BLACK RUG for with black lined lining. Reward to 1144 DIVISION ST., Pasadena, and receive liberal reward. Phone COLORADO 1675.

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LOST—PARTY SEEN TAKING PURSE FROM 519 S. Spring st. will kindly return at once to MRS. LAUDEN at same address, or Waldorf Apts. Avoid trouble.

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LOST—BUNDLE OF LAUNDRY, SEVENTH, BETween Westlake ave. and Little st., or Ingraham to Union, north on Union, Eighth to Westlake Park, GLENDALE 213-R. Liberal reward.

LOST—ON SAN PEDRO CAR, NURSE'S SMALL case with watch and instruments. Reward. Phone 66250.

LOST — CAMEO BREASTPIN, WITH ROW OF pearls around same, keepsake. Liberal reward. Call THROOP, 1000 W. 24th. Phone 21184.

LOST—SUNDAY NOON, TWO VALUABLE RINGS in washroom of cafeteria by CASHIER OF BOOS BLDG., 456 S. Hill st. Reward.

LOST — ONE WHITE TRICOLETTE SASH IN front of Dresden Apts., on West 7th st. Reward. Apt. 402, DRESDEN APTS.

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LOST—BLACK MOIRE PURSE WITH IVORY TOP, Saturday evening at Grauman's Theater. Reward. F. box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

LOST — SATURDAY MORNING, SMALL TAN leather purse, containing $10 bill and change. Reward. Can identify. Call PICO 1380.

LOST — SATURDAY AFTERNOON, BUNCH OF keys, with L. A. Trust and Savings tag. No. 54402, attached. Phone 22720.

LOST—GOLD MESH BAG, SUNDAY AT BUSCH Gardens, Pasadena. Reward, W. RUDDOCK, Savoy Hotel.

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FOUND — AT THE CORNER OF ADAMS AND Union ave., an automobile tire. Phone SOUTH 2426.

LOST—LARGE YELLOW PERSIAN CAT, STRAYED from 6th and Hartford. 55310.

FOUND—POCKETBOOK, WORK, SMALL AMOUNT of money. MR. BLAINE. Phone 14849.

FOUND—FOUR-WHEEL TRAILER. CALL EAST 2470.

LOST—GLASSES IN CASE. REWARD. 21632.

SPECIAL NOTICES—
Miscellaneous.

WOMEN'S DISEASES, ALL TROUBLES, SPECIALIST, 406 DELTA BLDG., 429 S. Spring st.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the SECURITY CONSTRUCTION CO. In pursuance of a resolution duly passed and adopted by the board of directors of the Security Construction Company, at a meeting of said board duly held on the 21st day of January, 1919, and duly entered in the minute book of said corporation:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called, and will be held at the office of said corporation at No. 3710 S. Alameda street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Thursday, the 6th day of February, 1919, at the hour of 1 p.m., of said day, for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition to dissolve the said corporation, wind up its affairs, and dispose of its assets according to law, and to authorize, empower and direct the board of directors to take the necessary steps thereto.

L. R. BEDELL, Secretary.

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WHAT'S DOING TODAY.

Allied World War Veterans will meet at 8 o'clock p.m. in the Westminster Hotel.

Southern California Congress of the Salvation Army meets tonight at 127 Wilmington street.

Highland Park Chamber of Commerce meets at 7:45 p.m. in the schoolhouse at Monte Vista street and Avenue 54.

Prof. Yasi Kiyo Sze will speak on Japan in the Assembly Hall, Chamber of Commerce, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Foreign Trade Club.

State Railroad Commission will sit at the Union League Building this morning to hear an application of the Los Angeles Railway to reduce its service to save increasing its fares.

AMUSEMENTS.

Clune's Auditorium—"What a Night."
Grauman's—"Don't Change Your Husband."
Kelly's Broadway—"Her Great Chance."
Pantages—Eddie Weston.
California—"The Hell Cat."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Garden—"Five Nights."
Morosco—"Tea or No."
Quinn's Rialto—"The Turn in the Road."
Alhambra, 1127 Adele.
Symphony—"The Craving."
Victoria—"Nine-tenths of the Law."
Theater de Luxe—"The Gypsy Trail."
Ray's Garden—"Her Mistake."
Hippodrome—"Who Will Marry Me?"
Clune's Broadway—"The Dub."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Kinema—"The Mother and the Law."
Hippodrome—Vaudeville.
Hollywood Community Theater—Two plays by Sir J. M. Barrie.
Vernon Athletic Club—Boxing.
Trinity Auditorium—Lili Petschnikoff.

THE CITY AND ENVIRONS.

Lawyer Returns.

Edmund W. Pugh, an attorney of No. 110 South Hoover street, returned from Washington yesterday, after serving eighteen months as assistant counsel for the United States Food Administration.

To Pre-Millennial Association.

Rev. O. P. Gifford of Boston will talk on the subject, "Christ's Second Coming," at a meeting of the Southern California Pre-Millennial Association at the Bible Institute at 4 p.m., today. The music will be in charge of Charles M. Alexander.

For Belgian Sufferers.

"Little Belgium" announces another of the popular teas in aid of the sufferers in Belgium. It will be given Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at the Westminster Hotel. Mrs. H. D. Wilcox, a Belgian woman, will sing.

Phelan's Visit Delayed.

Word that Senator Phelan has been delayed by government business and will not arrive here until week after next was received yesterday by Ray Grôves of the Democratic County Central Committee. Senator Phelan has been asked to speak before the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary Club and City Club while here.

For Farm Bureau Meeting.

The Lankershim center of the Los Angeles County Farm Bureau will hold its February meeting as an outdoor stock-adjudging demonstration at the place of Fred Harbrook, Lankershim, on Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Farm Advisers Scribner and Gordon will judge different types of cattle and hogs. Questions and discussion are invited.

Commercial Board Luncheon.

At the regular meeting of the Commercial Board of Los Angeles at the Hotel Clark tomorrow noon, Henry Clark, one of the foremost building engineers of the State, will speak on reconstruction. Other speakers will be William Henry of the Pioneer Paper Company, D. H. Jones of Barker Bros. and F. M. Renfro, general manager of the San Bernardino Orange Show.

British Soldiers' Aid Now.

Because of the end of the war, and the changed requirements of the soldiers, the British Ambulance Society, with headquarters in the Westminster Hotel, has changed its name to the British Soldiers' Aid Society. Its activities now will be toward assisting disabled soldiers and seamen. A meeting of the society will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Salvation Army Congress.

Commissioner Thomas Estill of the Salvation Army spent yesterday at San Diego inspecting the work of the army there, and this evening will preside at a meeting of the Southern California congress of the army to be held at 127 Wilmington street. Commissioner Estill is in command of all Salvation Army units west of the Mississippi River, with headquarters at Chicago.

For Canadian Reunion.

Six special Pacific Electric trains are to be run from Long Beach to Santa Monica next Saturday afternoon and one special on Sunday to accommodate those attending the two days' Canadian reunion. Features just announced include a grand ball and supper at the Merritt Jones Hotel, Saturday evening, free auto trips through Santa Monica Canyon, two "Victory" sings, one at Santa Monica in the afternoon, and one at Ocean Park in the evening, both with well-known speakers and music by the Highland Kilties Band and the Glee Club of the Canadian Society of Southern California.

To Give Concert Here.

Mme. Lili Petschnikoff, famous American violinist, will play this evening at Trinity Auditorium, giving a programme of unusual merit, including, as it does, the Kreutzer Sonata of Beethoven, with Mme. Rider Possart assisting at the piano; a sonata of Cesar Franck's and some Brahms dances, for which Mme. Petschnikoff has received special words of praise from European critics. Mme. Petschnikoff was driven from Europe by the war before which she spent seventeen years in concert stage work with her husband. She won much applause on the occasion of her playing with the Los Angeles Symphony Orchestra at its last concert here in January.

MADE MONEY HERE.

Son of Scotch Fisherman Leaves Most of Estate to Widow.

The bulk of the estate of John Sinclair, real estate operator formerly of Cribb and Sinclair, who died in this city on January 30, was bequeathed to his widow, Mrs. Martha R. Sinclair of 2333 West Twenty-first street, and a daughter, Mrs. Daisy N. Baird of El Centro, it was shown by a will filed for probate yesterday. The estate is valued at $75,000.

Mr. Sinclair bequeathed $2000 to Mrs. Baird, $1000 to Jessie McGlashan of Colorado Springs, a niece and Mrs. Baird, $1000 to Jessie McGlashan of Long Beach. To the widow he leaves the home residence and the residue is divided between the widow and her daughter.

Mr. Sinclair, son of a Scotch fireman, made his entire fortune in Los Angeles, according to Kemp, Mitchell and Silberberg, attorneys for the estate.

ACTRESS ARRESTED.

Dorothy Dalton, the film actress, and her chauffeur, Jack Webb, are booked to appear in the City Recorder's court at Venice next Thursday to answer to the charge of speeding. After Miss Dalton had dined at the Ship Cafe last evening, she ordered her car for the return trip home. Getting out onto the Speedway, Webb stepped onto the throttle until he reached twenty-six miles an hour, according to Motorcycle Officer Jack Peters, who placed the actress and her driver under arrest. The limit is eight miles on the Speedway.

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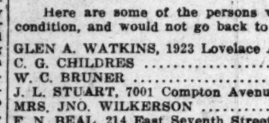

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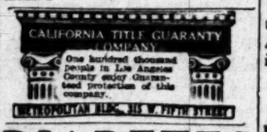

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[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ESCONDIDO, Feb. 3.—Great preparations are being made for the annual meeting and banquet of the Chamber of Commerce next Friday evening, when, it is expected, there will be an attendance of fully 500 persons. Inspired by the donation by George V. Kirkwood of the Lilac ranch of funds sufficient to erect a new building, coupled with the interest being taken in the drive for membership, it is anticipated that the coming gathering will be the most interesting one in the history of the organization. The invited guests will include: G. V. Kirkwood, South Pasadena; Richard Ingalese, 960 Menlo avenue, Los Angeles; State Senator Ed P. Sample, Assemblymen W. A. Doran and F. E. Lindley; Supervisors Foster Westfall and Greene, Melville Klauber, president, and J. A. Gillons, chairman of the road committee, San Diego Chamber of Commerce; Frank Miller of the Glenwood Mission Inn, Riverside; Frank Wiggins, secretary of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce; the commanding officer of Camp Kearny, and Maj. H. R. Fay, Camp Kearny.

The chamber has elected the following directors-at-large for the ensuing districts: Lilac, George Vandeveer Kirkwood; Valley Center, W. S. Vliet; Palomar, Carl Meidenhall; Aliso, Richard Ingalese; Olivenhain, S. P. Reynolds; Bernardo, Samuel Bloggett; San Pasqual, Everett Peet; San Marcos, R. A. Smith; Roway, C. M. Stevens; Pauma, Jack Adams; Vista, A. G. Kuek.

REV. DARSIE QUITS SANTA ANA CHURCH.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 3.—Rev. Lloyd Darsie, for three years pastor of the First Christian Church here, has resigned in order to engage in reconstruction work among soldiers and sailors for the Los Angeles Y.M.C.A., it was announced today. The transfer to his new work will take place almost immediately. His congregation here expresses deep regret at losing him. Rev. Darsie, on leave of absence, engaged in service Y.M.C.A. work for several months, part of the time in a cantonment in Texas and among the sailors at San Pedro. He came to the Santa Ana church from Hollywood.

LOW FIRE LOSS IN SANTA ANA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Feb. 3.—Santa Ana sustained only $732.45 loss by fire in the past six months, as shown by the report of Fire Chief Luxembourger. There were fifteen alarms in that period—one false—and several blazes were put out in their incipiency which might have developed disastrously except for prompt action.

Santa Ana has been exceedingly lucky in the matter of fires to date, and it has been a long time since there was anything like a big fire.

THE WEATHER.

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 3.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.96; at 5 p.m., 29.91. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 42 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity 5 a.m., 99 per cent.; 5 p.m., 57 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north west, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 19 miles. Highest temperature, 59 deg.; lowest, 41 deg. Rainfall for season, 5.33 inches; last season, .00 of an inch. Rainfall for season to date, 5.33 inches; last season, .00 of an inch. Rainfall for season reduced to sea level.

For Los Angeles, February 4 (normal standard 120 Meridian time): Sun rises, 6:48 a.m.; sets 5:20 p.m. Moon rises day, sets 10:02 p.m.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Fields of high barometric pressure are in control of the weather over the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. A trough of low pressure extends from the Gulf of Mexico to Lake Superior, resulting in heavy rain in Florida and moderate snowfall in Missouri northerly to Minnesota. Showers have ceased in Southern California, and heavy frost occurred this morning in the central part of the State and northerly into Oregon. The weather will be fair and cool in Los Angeles and vicinity during the ensuing thirty-six hours.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from the orchards reported yesterday to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau were as follows:

Stations	Max.	Min.
Bakersfield	59	34
Fowler	54	30
Corona	60	34
El Cajon	52	34
Escondido	50	34
Pasadena	50	32
Pomona	52	34
Redlands	49	34
Riverside	51	31
Santa Barbara	54	36
San Bernardino	51	32
San Fernando	49	31
Santa Ana	54	34

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Tuesday; moderate northwesterly winds.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Unsettled Tuesday; probably showers; winds mostly southerly, moderate.

Southern California: Fair Tuesday; gentle northwesterly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Unsettled Tuesday; probably showers; moderate southerly winds.

Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Probably fair Tuesday; gentle, variable winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Forecast for Arizona: Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday; somewhat warmer.

TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	42	26	Oklahoma	38	30
Boise	36	20	Omaha	26	22
Boston	44	32	Phoenix	60	34
Buffalo	32	22	Portland	50	36
Chicago	32	24	Portland, Or.	48	36
Denver	36	6	Rapid City	22	6
Des Moines	28	8	Red Bluff	50	32
Dodge City	30	16	Roseburg	42	32
Eureka	54	40	Roswell	46	24
Flagstaff	36	22	St. Louis	32	26
Fresno	52	28	St. Paul	26	20
Galveston	62	50	Sacramento	52	30
Havre	20	0	Salt Lake City	36	20
Helena	30	6	San Diego	58	44
Huron	16	0	San Francisco	54	40
Independence	38	24	S. Luis Obispo	60	42
Kamloops	34	0	Seattle	42	32
Kansas City	34	24	Spokane	32	22
Knoxville	48	36	Tampa	70	56
Los Angeles	60	42	Tonopah	36	20
Memphis	56	36	Washington	42	28
Modena	32	6	Winnemucca	32	16
Mt. Wilson	52	32	Winnipeg	*2	*10
New Orleans	68	54	Yuma	64	48
New York	48	34	*—Below zero.		
North Head	46	34			

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Feb. 3.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River 15.7 feet. Discharge, Saturday, 4700 cubic feet; Sunday, 5000 cubic feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALLDAY—SCHAUER. John H. Allday, 32; Violet Schauer, 24.

BELLAIR—LAMBOM. Joseph Bellair, 60, Margaret Lambom, 45.

BLOOMINGDALE—TYLER. Frank H. Bloomingdale, 31; Rose E. Tyler, 27.

BOND—ADKINS. Clyde L. Bond, 41; Bettie R. Adkins, 34.

BRISCOE—KNAPP. Henry B. Briscoe, 28; Irene D. Knapp, 24.

BROWN—BRADFORD. John Brown, 47; Mary E. Bradford, 42.

BUNTING—THOMAS. Lyman J. Bunting, 27; Mary V. Thomas, 25.

BUTLER—RAE. Joseph S. Butler, 25; Shirley A. Rae, 20.

CHAKY—OROZ. John Chaky, 35; Margaret Oroz, 27.

COLSON—ROBAIR. John Colson, 35; Isabel Robair, 32.

FELIX—MOYERS. Gustavo Felix, 28; Emilia Moyers, 19.

GABELA—CORDOVA. Felix Garcia, 38; Adela Cordova, 37.

GILLINGHAM—BROWN. Albert J. Gillingham, 51; Beatrice W. Brown, 38.

HEMENWAY—RUDDOW. Walter G. Hemenway, 45; Estelle R. Ruddow, 37.

HENDERSON—MOSS. James W. Henderson, 47; D. Eleanor Moss, 34.

HENRY—McCOY. William F. Henry, 42; Alma McCoy, 31.

HERDON—SHERMAN. Frank W. Herdon, 39, Mildred Sherman, 24.

HIRSCH—SILVERBERGER. Sigmund S. Hirsch, 54; Norene Silverberger, 40.

HOLGER—MELENDEZ. Thomas J. House, 31; Mary A. Melendez, 27.

KIRKLAND—BAILEY. George W. Kirkland, 21; Claudia M. Bailey, 17.

MORRIS—GOODNOON. George D. Morris, 37; Roberta Goodnoon, 28.

NAHRA—HALLAL. Mansur Nahra, 32; Shafia Hallal, 28.

NOWLIN—QUIRKEY. Bailey B. Nowlin, 26; Edith M. Skosky, 24.

PALMER—CALVERT. William L. Palmer, 29; Marjorie Calvert, 22.

SANCHEZ—RAMIREZ. Martin Sanchez, 29; Trinidad Ramirez, 25.

STRAND—CRELLER. Roel I. Strand, 22; Bernice C. Creller, 21.

URKOW—KOLANOFF. Mike D. Urkow, 21; Rachel D. Boglanoff, 18.

WAYNE—COX. James W. Wayne, 30; May M. Cox, 21.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ARMSTRONG, Mr. and Mrs. George, Daughter, Alpine Hospital, January 29.

BRYANT, Mr. and Mrs. Robert, Daughter, Pacific Hospital, January 29.

ELLIOTT, Mr. and Mrs. John, Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, January 30.

HOPPER, Mr. and Mrs. George, Boy, Torrance, January 30.

JOHNSON, Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Daughter, California Hospital, January 31.

MARKEZ, Mr. and Mrs. Teodora, Daughter, 1704 Gratton street, January 29.

MEYERS, Mr. and Mrs. Robert, Boy, 2122 West Ninth street, January 28.

RAYMOND, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Boy, Santa Monica, January 30.

RISSI, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin, Boy, 232 Gates street, January 31.

SABOURIN, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Daughter, 317 East Forty-eighth street, January 30.

SMITH, Mr. and Mrs. Walter, Daughter, California Hospital, January 31.

STINSON, Mr. and Mrs. James, Daughter, Pacific Hospital, January 30.

SWANSON, Mr. and Mrs. Gustave, Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, January 30.

TURNER, Mr. and Mrs. Archie, Boy, Pacific Hospital, January 29.

WELTY, Mr. and Mrs. Frank, Daughter, California Hospital, January 31.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BURNSIDE, Sadie J. against Jay O.
COSGLEY, Leah against Jerome A.
CORBELLA, Joy B. against Ernest C.
DEHN, Mary A. against Charles S.
FRANKLIN, Virgil against Elenora.
FREASE, Mabie K. against William M.
JASON, Arthur L. against Mae F.
KOWATCH, Natahi against August.
SMALLEY, Mabelle F. against William.
STARK, Burt B. against Pauline M.
THOMPSON, Clara against Harrison J.
VAN NOY, Adelaide against William G.
WEBB, Charles W. against Edith M.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BELL, Carl from Leota.
COARMAN, Grace from John.
CORAGAN, Lydia from W. W.
DICKINSON, Maru from Alfonsa.
GREGORY, Jennie from Elsen J.
HUGHES, May from Michael.
KAYLOR, Ralla from Mais.
PASPALANA, Gregoris from Marcos.
PETERSON, Margaret from Charles.
PIPER, Emeline from Claire.
ROMERO, Mary from Frad.
SULLIVAN, Bessie from Jourdan.
WEST, Grace from Charles.
YOSIO, Walter from Iona.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death	Age.	Date
COPELAND, Robert, Los Angeles	69	Jan. 31
COSSON, Jennie, Los Angeles	62	Jan. 31
DEAN, Rev., Los Angeles	70	Jan. 31
HART, Alarc, Los Angeles	26	Jan. 30
HOMER, John, Los Angeles	81	Jan. 30
HUCK, Rose, Los Angeles	42	Jan. 31
JOHNSON, Rita, Los Angeles	31	Jan. 31
JOHNSON, Susie, Los Angeles	69	Feb. 1
LEWIS, Margaret, Los Angeles	59	Feb. 1
MAYFIELD, Alena, Los Angeles	84	Jan. 31
McGUIRE, Ellen, Los Angeles	85	Jan. 31
MELDE, Angelica, Los Angeles	79	Jan. 30
MITCHELL, Vina, Los Angeles	74	Feb. 1
ROOT, James, Los Angeles	82	Feb. 1
SINAI, Henry, Los Angeles	27	Jan. 30
STACK, Mabel, Los Angeles	29	Feb. 2
STOUTSENBERGER, Fred, Los Angeles	39	Jan. 30
SWEITZER, Burt, Los Angeles	53	Feb. 1
WARFIELD, Clarissa, Los Angeles	26	Feb. 1
WENG, Mary, Los Angeles	77	Jan. 31

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

AHLSWEDE, At 3536 East Fifth street, Bryant Ahlswede, aged 6 years, beloved son of Mrs. E. H. Ahlswede. Services will be held at the residence, Wednesday, February 5, at 11 a.m. Pierce Brothers, directors.

BASSETTE, At 108 West Sixty-sixth street, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Bassette, aged 74 years, beloved mother of William L. Bassette of this city and Mrs. Eugene L. Herman of St. Louis, Mo. Funeral services Wednesday, February 5, at 10 a.m. from the funeral parlors of W. J. Brown, 1336 South Flower street.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

CANNEY, February 1, Sarah Canney. Funeral, today at 8:30 a.m. from the residence of J. O'Callaghan, 3 O'Meara street, thence to the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, where requiem high mass will be said at 9 o'clock. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

CROWLEY, February 2, Mrs. Winnie Crowley. Remains at parlors of W. J. Brown, 1336 South Flower street. Funeral notice later.

DE VANE, January 30, Patrick de Vane, 70 years. Funeral from the Catholic Church, Agua, First and Main streets, Dominguez, at 9 a.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

GERMAIN, February 3, 1919, Wesley Germain. Remains at parlors of W. J. Brown, 1337 South Grand avenue. Funeral notice later.

HERNANDEZ, February 3, Y. Hernandez. Remains at parlors of W. J. Brown, 1337 South Grand avenue. Funeral notice later.

HUTTON, At 1717 South Burlington avenue, February 1, Agnes Hutton, aged 70 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence of Mary C. Hutton, Monday, February 3, at 2 p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

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JENNINGS, February 2, Mary Jennings, aged 72 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Brothers, 1337 South Grand avenue, today, at 2 p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

KRANZ, At Hollywood, February 1, Herman Kranz, aged 56 years. Funeral services from Chapel of Pierce Brothers, 1337 South Grand avenue, today, at 2 p.m. Interment Inglewood Cemetery.

KINDER, February 3, John A. Kinder. Remains at parlors of W. J. Brown, 1336 South Flower street. Funeral notice later.

KUHNS, At Los Angeles, Cal., February 3, George W. Kuhns, aged 69 years. Funeral services from chapel of Pierce Brothers, 1337 South Grand avenue, Tuesday, at 4 p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

MAGENDORFER, February 3, Ollie Magendorfer. Remains at parlors of Pierce Brothers, 845 Figueroa, Wednesday at 4 p.m.

MARLATT, February 2, Mary Marlatt. Remains at parlors of W. J. Brown, 1336 South Flower street. Funeral notice later.

McCARTY, At 265 West Forty-third street, February 2, C. McCarty, aged 80 years. Funeral services from the residence, Monday, at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

McCARTY, At 265 West Forty-third street, February 2, Mary J. McCarty, aged 80 years. Funeral services from the residence, Monday, at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

McGUIRE, At 1014 West Eighth street, February 2, Mary McGuire, aged 85 years. Funeral services from the residence, Monday, at 2 p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

MORGAN, At 1014 West Eighth street, February 2, Mary Morgan, loving wife of George Morgan, aged 85 years. Funeral today, 1 p.m. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

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WOMAN DRUG PLOT VICTIM?

...t in Hotel for a Week by Men, Police Say.

...e Arrested as Suspect in Peculiar Case.

...d Girl Cannot Remember Coming to City.

...man is in the City Jail and ...ed is being sought as the result ...e discovery by the police last ... of an alleged drug plot ...ough which a pretty young wom... was kept in a dazed condition ...e more than a week in a room in ... hotel opposite the Courthouse. ... woman is Mrs. Carmelita ..., 21 years old, for whom, the ... believe, a search is now be... made by Arizona and New Mex... authorities. She was found by ... Hackett, head of the metro... ...ss squad, Policewoman Georgia ... and Patrolman Berger, in ... at the Aberdeen Hotel, Tem... ...treet and North Broadway, ... for more than a week she ... been living under circumstances ... finally aroused suspicion and ...ted in police investigation. ... man in custody is Chris Nich... ...s. He was arrested when he ... at the girl's room shortly ... she had been removed to the ...ding Hospital. The police say ... of the men who are respon... for the girl's condition. ...ording to the account given ... the police, the young woman ... at the Aberdeen Hotel eight ... ago, and never left her room. ... ...n answering the descriptions ... prisoner and the other man ... sought were seen entering the ... and bringing food and drink. ...ottle and dish in the place ... taken in by the police last ... as was some of the food, ... chemical examination, in the ...ction of finding traces of ...

...ld before last the girl, clad ... her nightgown, walked ... the hotel hallways and en... a room of a man guest, where ...huffled into a corner and ... not to be taken away be... she feared to go back to her ... she acted so strangely that ...tel manager notified the po...

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...letters found in the room ... few disjointed statements ... her, the police believe she ...aughter of Mrs. Luke Short ..., Ariz. Her husband is ... to be in Mexico. A ... a month ago, Mrs. Short

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Baby Joe Stewart,
Killed by an auto yesterday, and his mother, Mrs. Roy Stewart.

BABY KILLED UNDER ITS MOTHER'S EYES.

WEE SON OF BANKER JUST OUT OF ARMY STRUCK BY MOTOR. POLICE INVESTIGATE.

Joe Stewart, 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Stewart of 627½ West Thirtieth street, was killed by an automobile at 1:30 o'clock yesterday in front of the French Hospital at 531 College street. The mother, Mrs. Gwendolene Hanby Stewart, had gone to the hospital to visit a girl friend, Miss Fannie Edmundson, and while the two friends sat on the porch of the hospital, the little boy asked permission to go across the street to play on a swing in the yard of the Castelar public school. He was always very careful of automobiles, Mrs. Stewart said last night, and she watched him go safely across the street and saw him playing there. The next she saw was a man carrying her boy in his arms to the hospital. The man was Harry A. Fitzgerald of 244 El Molino avenue, Pasadena. It is supposed that the child, tired of playing, had started back across the street to return to his mother, when he was struck.

Fitzgerald, who drove the car that hit the child, reported to the police that the accident was unavoidable.

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NOTED BANKER A GUEST HERE.

George M. Reynolds, Chicago, Joins Winter Colony.

Plans to Spend Some Weeks in Southern California.

Brilliant Social Functions to Honor Him and Wife.

George McClelland Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial National Bank of Chicago, who declined the portfolio of Secretary of the Treasury under President Taft in 1909, arrived here on the Santa Fe late yesterday afternoon to spend several weeks in Southern California. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds are occupying the Stimson residence at No. 825 West Adams street. They will be the recipients of many brilliant social attentions during their stay here and at Pasadena.

Mr. Reynolds is a director of the Federal reserve bank in Chicago. He has been president of the Continental and Commercial National Bank since 1910 and enjoys the unique experience of having banked through two wars. He was cashier of the Des Moines National Bank from 1897 to 1902. The Spanish-American War was fought to a successful conclusion during that period. He began his business career as a clerk in a little country bank at Panora, Iowa.

Mr. Reynolds was too much fatigued by his journey to talk last night.

McADOO COUNSEL FOR FILM STARS COMPANY.

FORMER TREASURY SECRETARY MAKES STATEMENT AT FAIRBANKS HOME.

William G. McAdoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, announced last night at the home of Douglas Fairbanks that he has accepted the offer to become general counsel of the United Artists' Association, composed of the leading motion-picture stars. He said:

"After conference with Miss Pickford and Messrs. Douglas Fairbanks, Charles Chaplin and D. W. Griffith, I have agreed to become general counsel for the United Artists' Association, the independent company which they are organizing for the protection of their interests. They have determined not to permit any trust to destroy competition or to blight or interfere with the high quality of their work. They feel that it is of the utmost importance to secure the artistic development of the moving-picture industry and they believe that this will be impossible if any trust should get possession of the field and wholly commercialize the business."

Tomorrow, the ex-Secretary of the Treasury will view a private rodeo which the film comedian is staging for his benefit "somewhere in the Hollywood foothills." About 250 cowboys are to take part, and it is said that Mr. Fairbanks himself will do some fancy riding. The McAdoos, as part of their "rest cure" programme, are motoring to various points of Southern California, and this is one of their stops.

KIN OF MORGAN DIES.

Widow Seeks Parents of Cousin of the Great Financier.

Mrs. Nellie Morgan of 1127 South Flower street, executrix of the estate of her late husband, Leonard Pierpont Morgan, who died of influenza in San Diego, yesterday asked Syracuse (N. Y.) newspapers to locate his parents in order to acquaint them with the fact that she is the mother of a namesake for Pierpont Morgan, the great financier, who died several years ago.

Leonard Pierpont Morgan was a third cousin of Pierpont Morgan. His parents resided in Syracuse for many years, but Mrs. Morgan says he told her they perished in the Hampton disaster in 1913. They were English people, supposedly of considerable means. Mrs. Morgan says her husband's estate is sufficient to provide for her and a son and daughter, but she is anxious for his eastern relatives to know that he named a son after the great financier.

DUO IN NEW ROBBERY.

Man and Woman Loot Dwelling While Owners are Away.

The woman burglar and her male companion, whose activities in the last few weeks have been traced by the police, last night made another appearance on the police records following the report that the home of R. G. Femm, a wealthy trucking contractor of No. 421 East Pico street, was looted while the family was away in San Diego.

Evidence obtained by Detectives Bowne and Burgess led to the belief that the burglary was committed by persons answering the descriptions of a couple which a week ago burglarized a residence on St. Paul street and committed several similar robberies in the last few weeks.

Clothes and jewelry valued at several hundred dollars were taken in the Femm burglary. Mrs. A. Platt, a neighbor, told the detectives she heard a man and a woman in the Femm house shortly before the burglary, and later saw them leaving.

In the burglary on St. Paul street, the woman dropped a glove, now being held by the police, and left behind other evidence.

Bitter Charges and Counter-Charges Fly Like Hail.

Mrs. Maurine Opal Himes-Hendricks-Kimball-Litch,
Second wife of the son of rich steel family, who married her illegally, he admits, and under an alias.

EIGHTY-ONE, BUT COULDN'T WAIT.

So Cupid Sparks Flies Down Town Late at Night to Give that License.

This is the Fable of the Widower of Eighty-one who couldn't Wait.

He was Married once before, and that time for Forty Years. His wife died, and he waited Eighteen Years to get Another, who is Mrs. Mary A. Melendes, 48 years of Age, who was a Widow herself and Lonesome. Here she met Thomas J. House, 81, an ex-Flagman of the Santa Fe, with whom Single Blessedness didn't make a Hit.

He called up "Cupid" Sparks late Sunday Night. Cupid said the Shop was Closed. He wanted Mr. House, who lives at 621 East Second street, to Wait until Monday Morning.

"I can't Wait," wailed Mr. House, whereupon Cupid betook Himself downtown and issued the License. And the Couple were Wed by Justice Hugh J. Crawford at his home. And they Departed on their Honeymoon yesterday.

Moral: Better Late Than Never Again.

TO FIGHT FREAK LAWS.

Property Owners Form Organization to Watch Legislature.

To safeguard property interests and endeavor to do away with freak legislation, seventy-five representative business men and property owners of the city met last evening in the offices of Frank E. Purcell, room 502, Black Building, to form a permanent organization. Committees are to attend the sessions of the City Council and the State Legislature to combat freak legislation and to suggest ameliorative measures for existing ills.

As officers of the organization L. T. Mayo was elected president; Lyman Farwell, vice-president; F. E. Purcell, secretary, and L. S. Collins, treasurer. A committee comprising Oscar Schmidt, Lyman Farwell, A. G. Lindley, L. T. Mayo and F. E. Purcell was appointed to "sit in" at the Legislature. They will take up their duties there following the recess. It was stated last evening by Mr. Purcell that within a month the membership is expected to exceed 500.

CAPT. ART SMITH IS GIVEN COUNTY JOB.

Capt. Art Smith, just returned from France, where he was connected with the Engineer Corps, was appointed assistant flood control engineer by the Board of Supervisors yesterday.

Capt. Smith was employed in the road department of the county when he responded to the call to arms.

TRIES HOLDUP IN BIG STORE

"Stop!" said a masked man as he suddenly appeared in the rear part of Melling's large provision store at 315-317 West Fourth street at 8:35 o'clock last night and pointed a revolver at the proprietor, J. A. Melling, who was alone in the store. "Move over!" next said the bandit, but instead of moving over, Mr. Melling risked a rain of bullets by turning and running the length of the store, eighty-five feet, to the door, through which he ran, and told two soldiers who were passing what had happened.

Looking into the store, they saw that the hold-up man had disappeared, so the three ran to Hill street and around to the rear of the store, but the masked man had escaped.

Mr. Melling had closed the store as usual at 7:30 o'clock; the last of the employees had left at 8:15 o'clock, and Mr. Melling believes the bandit entered from the rear window and hid behind a stairway leading to a balcony until Melling was alone in the store. Mr. Melling had locked the proceeds of the day's business in the safe before he started toward the rear of the store, where he was held up. On account of the darkness, Mr. Melling says he was unable to secure a good description of the man except that he is of medium height and build and wore a soft hat. The mask prevented a good view of the man's face.

Melling's store is across the street from the Hotel Sherman, which adjoins the Broadway Department Store; the Hotel Knox is on the floors above the store, and the hold-up man showed his daring when he tried to work in full view of the passersby on Fourth street.

Detectives Taylor, Burgess and Hickok found that a window opening on the mezzanine balcony had been opened and the screen over it taken off the hinges. A ladder was stretched over the window, giving access to a roof back of the store. The bandit or bandits—and the police believe there were at least two—had evidently carefully planned every step of the holdup.

ALVANDROS TO SURRENDER

While the Sheriff's office and the police throughout the State have been keeping a watch for him, Carlos de Alvandros, alleged Brazilian medium, who recently figured in the spook investigation here, announced yesterday through his attorney, C. L. Belt, that he will surrender himself to Superior Judge Craig this morning.

This statement was made by Mr. Belt after he and Alvandros appeared in Judge Craig's court and told the clerk that Alvandros was ready to give himself up.

This leaves only one man to be arrested on the indictments recently returned by the grand jury as the result of the investigation into the Fogel murder case and the subsequent investigation of the operations of the so-called spook trust in Los Angeles.

Mr. Belt said yesterday that he understood there are three indictments against Alvandros and that $15,000 bonds have been set on the three charges. The sureties, he said, will be arranged within the next day or two.

The grand jury, it was understood yesterday, will again take up the activities of spirit mediums when it meets today. Of the four persons indicted last week, P. H. (Paddy) Kean, head of the Apostolic Spiritual Church, and Mrs. Jean Lounsberry have been arrested. Mrs. Lounsberry was released on $2500 bail, and Kean is in the County Jail awaiting trial.

Both Kean and Mrs. Lounsberry are also awaiting hearing before Justice Palmer on charges of extortion from Samuel I. Wilson, a bean grower of Santa Ana. Alvandros, who was a witness before the grand jury, is charged with extortion in the same complaint. The hearing is set for February 17, but that case may be dismissed because of the grand jury indictments, which cover the same grounds.

FOR GREATEST AERO SHOW.

A great international aeronautical exposition in which famous flyers as well as leading American aircraft manufacturers will take leading parts, is proposed for Rockwell Field on Victory Day, November 11. Plans already are well under way, it was announced yesterday.

Col. Harvey Burwell, to whose initiative and administrative ability much of the success of San Diego's two spectacular aeronautical shows has been due, is enthusiastic over the proposed exposition.

"It would be necessary, of course, to obtain government sanction and support for an exposition of such magnitude," said Col. Burwell. "I believe there would be very little trouble in securing such sanction. It would go a long way toward stimulating interest in aeronautics during peace times, not only among airplane manufacturers, but also the general public."

It is planned to bring to San Diego all types of military and commercial aircraft for display, and world-noted aviators, including Lieut. Rene Fonck of France, the world's leading ace; Lieut.-Col. W. A. Bishop, Canada's greatest aerial fighter; Gabriel D'Annunzio, Italy's poet-aviator; Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, the premier ace of this country, and many other noted American, British, French, Italian and Belgian aviators. The exposition would be repeated each year on the same date.

Plans for the exposition will be outlined to Maj.-Gen. William Kenly, chief of the American air service. In the event of his approval, Gen. Kenly will be asked to lay them before the War Department, and permission to hold the exposition at Rockwell Field will be asked. The participation of foreign governments will then be requested.

Col. Burwell has suggested that prizes be awarded to competing airplane manufacturers in order to stimulate interest in the development of military aircraft. The navy will be asked to participate, thereby insuring the appearance of all types of aircraft, as well as dirigibles, balloons and other lighter-than-air craft.

PROVES "KIMBALL" LITCH.

Surprising Statement by Attorney for Wealthy Admitted Bigamist.

Upon his return to the city last evening, former Judge Willis I. Morrison, who has represented Thomas K. Litch in civil matters here, frankly stated that he knows his client both as Thomas Kimball Litch, scion of the wealthy Pittsburgh steel family, and as Thomas Kimball, the alias under which Litch admits he bigamously married Mrs. Maurine Hendricks. Ex-Judge Morrison says he laid the facts before the District Attorney's office some time ago and that the latter declined to act on the ground that there was no complaining witness. Mrs. Mary M. Litch, first wife of Litch, stated to a Times representative in Brookville, Pa., last Saturday evening that the information the reporter had just given her was the first intimation she had received that her husband had taken another wife. Dist.-Atty. Woolwine is expected home from Washington today. No one in his office could be found who would comment on the matter last evening. Ex-Judge Morrison says Mrs. Hendricks knew Litch was a married man and got his consent to their own union by threats, as part of a careful plan to get a large amount of money from him.

Whatever doubt remained as to the truth of the astounding story of "Thomas Kimball," rich young man-about-town, that he is really Thomas K. Litch, son of the wealthy steel family of Pittsburgh, was dispelled yesterday when a photograph of "Kimball" was positively identified as that of Litch by L. Fred Grundy, manager of the brokerage firm of Andrews & Co., 300 Merritt Building, which receives and pays over to Litch a large monthly income from the estates of his father and uncle, Edward Litch and Thomas W. Litch. Wife No. 2, who is suing him for separate maintenance here, says that this income is $1000 a month. Litch denies this and says it is sometimes as low as $300 a month.

Mr. Grundy said that his company has been handling money for Mr. Litch for some time and that they have never known him under any other name.

The identification yesterday, with statements already made by Litch and Mrs. Maurine Kimball, his second wife, make it evident that, as he readily admits himself, Litch is open to a charge of bigamy. He admits that he married Mrs. Maurine Hendricks in Albuquerque, N. M., in 1917, knowing that his first wife in Brookville, Pa., was alive and had not secured a divorce. As his defense Mr. Litch states that he was forced to marry Mrs. Hendricks or be arrested on her charges for having brought her across a State line and that he had not heard from his first wife for over four years. He admitted yesterday, however, having heard almost every week from his 7-year-old daughter, residing with his first wife in Brookville. The latter says he was there a year ago and that they had a difference at that time.

Mrs. Maurine Kimball, through her attorney, I. R. Rubin, yesterday obtained an order from Presiding Judge Myers trying up all stocks and bonds in this city owned by Litch, and preventing him from removing any of the securities from the jurisdiction of the local courts until the suit is heard. Mrs. Kimball also will ask for temporary alimony in proceedings, on the grounds that she and her 4-year-old daughter are without any means of support since she and Mr. Litch separated over a month ago.

WHAT HE WILL DO.

Mr. Litch at the Yorkshire Hotel yesterday afternoon declared that even if he is arrested on a charge of bigamy by his first or second wife, he will never make a financial settlement with either of them. He stated that he would support his 7-year-old daughter in Brookville, and would attempt to divorce his second wife or have the marriage declared void, but that he was "tired of being a dollar mark to Mrs. Kimball" and would never pay her another cent.

In the contention between Mrs. Kimball and her husband, a $5000 diamond ring, a large amount of jewelry, and a $7000 automobile are featured by both. Mrs. Kimball declared yesterday the diamond ring and other jewelry and the automobile were gifts from her husband before the quarrel and separation which resulted in the filing of the suit. She also alleges that her husband took the automobile from her and attempted to gain possession of the diamond ring and the jewelry.

Mr. Litch declares that he never gave his wife the diamond ring, but that she took it from him while they were living together, and also that she took the automobile, and sold it for $200 to a friend and that he was forced to pay that amount to secure it again. He also declared yesterday that at one time she attempted to hold him up in his own rooms with a revolver and that he only escaped when she discovered that he had no money or jewelry on his person. This she denies.

Meeting charge with counter-charge, Mrs. Kimball declared yesterday that, following the suit for separate maintenance, she intends to secure a divorce and will then sue Litch for $75,000 damages. Litch retorted that he will never pay Mrs. Kimball a cent, but will go to jail rather than to be "shot" by her and that if she does file suit for damages he would prove that she was well aware of his first marriage before forcing him to marry her in Albuquerque, as he alleges.

Litch declares that Mrs. Kimball planned the marriage in New Mexico from the time they first met in 1916 in Pittsburgh and lured him to that city while she obtained a divorce from her husband. She says

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French Girls and Our Soldiers.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 3.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Will you allow me a little space to reply to Lucille's "No Men to Marry" letter in last Friday's Times, apropos of our soldiers marrying French girls. If French girls are good enough to die for, they are certainly good enough to live for. We, who are of French and English descent, are the real Americans. Our fathers fought and died to make America what it is. We pride ourselves upon our democracy and the fact that all nationalities have sought our shores and have found freedom and a welcome in the United States.

We, who owe our very existence as a nation to the ancestors of French girls, deem it an honor to continue the sweet and tender ties that have been so dear to us in the past. If America owes so much to their French fathers, let us repay the compliment by giving future French children American fathers.

As to the little boys whom Lucille speaks of as having dark complexion: If Lucille would look about her she would find that many of Anglo-Saxon descent have as dark skins as those of the Latin races. And, let me add, the Anglo-Saxons, as well as the Latins, are of common Aryan origin, and what difference in temperament and complexion there may be is simply due to the climatic conditions of each nation.

I have two beautiful boys, whose skin is as fair as a lily, and they are of French descent. I could deem it no greater honor than that I should eventually receive to my heart their wives, girls of France, for my dear daughters. May God bless the marriages of our American boys in France.

[MRS.] O. M. STEIGER.
957 Lucille avenue.

Labor Leaders' Mistakes.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It is evident that the labor unions intend to make the same mistakes nationally that they frequently have made in localities, with disastrous results to their organizations. The ever-increasing demands will turn the people against them.

Union labor leaders, who now talk of strikes and make threats of what their organization will do, are woefully lacking in wisdom; because if this element gives trouble while the economic rearrangement necessary to continue business and to meet foreign competition is going on, it will destroy the labor unions.

For laboring men to strike in an attempt to assist the convicted Mooney; for them to demand still higher pay for railroad workers who are now paid an excessively high wage; for shipyard workers to demand outrageous emoluments, and for textile laborers to demand pay that will double the cost to the consumers of that class of goods—is sheer folly.

These leaders, owing to a temporary success at Washington, have led Democratic politicians into sowing a wind, and they will abandon them when the whirlwind has developed.

If this labor danger is faced in a courageous manner, the United States will be more prosperous than ever; but if we let workmen's councils and other pernicious propaganda influence our business affairs, the expense of the war has just commenced.

ED F. BROWNE,
1623 North Berendo Street.

Prefers Dogs to the Films.

LAMANDA PARK, Jan. 31.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In reply to John J. Mong and others who wish all dogs to be killed in order that more food will be available for human beings, I am sure that those who advocate this policy have not given the matter careful thought. I have kept two Russian wolfhounds for over three years and during that time have not fed the dogs anything our family would have eaten or indeed anything that anyone else would have eaten.

Their food has been bones left over from meals or bones and meat purchased from the butcher that were scraps and not desired for human food. A ready market for such meat scraps tends to reduce the price of meat to the consumer. In addition to this I get the sweepings from the shredded wheat factories.

There may be others and probably are who do feed their dogs food fit or desired for human consumption. But I believe a careful inquiry would show that when such is the case, the owners usually limit their own eating to share with the dogs.

As a rule you will find that those who love dogs and those whom dogs love will not turn away a meritorious hungry person unfed, and they will not offer to the hungry the food they give their dogs. No matter how poor we are we all have a pet luxury which we satisfy. I don't go to the movies but I spend $5 per month on my two dogs, and don't deprive any one else of anything.

JOHN M. MacADAM.

To Quiet the Rooster.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 31.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Some of our readers complain of the roosters possessed by their neighbors. The crowing propensities to which these sufferers object, can easily be annulled by a very simple process. Place a plank, or strip of wood, over the perch where the rooster spends his night; so that when he desires to crow, he cannot lift, his head high enough to accomplish his wish.

He must have a good long stretch for his neck in order to make that noise. So the plank overhead effectually silences him.

E. R. HOPE.
Hotel Alvarado.

Germs? Certainly!

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Under the heading "Germs? Nonsense!" Leon Bourgoujan in The Times of January 24, proceeds to show the people of Los Angeles that germs do not exist. That influenza "is nothing but intestinal infection." The world of scientists, to a man, agrees that germs are invariably the cause and source of infectious diseases. Now this sage comes forward with his infinite knowledge, superior wisdom, and learning, to inform the world that the medical profession is "trying to hide its ignorance behind the germ-camouflage."

He does not state the source of his powers of discernment. His school was certainly not of this earth? As no institution of learning of today is advocating infectious diseases without germs.

W. H. SMITH, M.D.,
202½ South Broadway.

A Tax on Loyalty.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Taxes will no doubt be with us for many years in new and unfamiliar form as a result of the Great War, but a form of taxation which has just come to my notice is, it seems to me at least, unfair, unpatriotic and undignified when imposed by our Federal government.

I refer to a head tax now being collected from the thousands of our loyal men of British birth who left Los Angeles and other cities to enlist in the Canadian army when the call for recruits went forth in all the land.

These men, who are now being discharged, are taxed the sum of $8 before being allowed to cross the "line" and return to their homes and position which they so willingly gave up to fight for the cause of all humanity, just because in many cases they were holders of only first papers and not fully naturalized citizens.

Surely our government can find other and more patriotic ways to raise money than by taking away from our returning hero that which he may now so badly need.

J. A. S. FURLONGE,
President Royal Securities Corporation.

Where His Lost Golf Putter Was? - By Fontaine Fox.

USEFUL DOLLARS.

Philosophy of Money Worth More than a Moment's Study.

Before you spend that dollar, stop and think. Are you going to get for it a dollar's worth of anything you really want?

Likewise, before you put that dollar away in a saving bank, pause and consider. Are you really saving it for a good purpose, or merely following a blind instinct to hoard, as a crow collects bright pebbles and bits of glass? How long is that dollar going to stay in prison, and what is it going to, and how much is it going to be worth when it gets out?

Yet, again, if you adopt the third alternative, and invest your "buck" go first to a quiet place and think for a long time. Is this proposed investment really an investment in the literal sense of the term, or is it just a gamble, similar to poker, but less fun? Are you planting your little Simoleon in happy environment, where he will grow and beget other little Simoleons, or are you apprenticing him to some hard taskmaster, who will work him to death and return him to you a mere shadow of his former self—if, indeed, he ever returns at all?

These are some of the questions (freely interpreted) which the newly-created savings division of the United States Treasury Department is asking the citizens of the United States. Harold Braddock, chief of the division, and his associates realize that thrift is much more than the blind accumulation of money. Thrift, in its best and truest sense, is a philosophy of money. The truly thrifty are not afraid of money, not yet do they despise it. They understand it. They know both its value and how to use it. Therefore, they always have some.

To inculcate such a philosophy of money is the purpose of the new savings division. These prophets of a thrifty America are out to oppose the extravagance for which America is famous, but they are equally opposed to senseless and purposeless saving. If you are saving money that you might otherwise use for food, clothes or recreation that you or your family really need, then take that money out of the bank and spend it.

Intelligent saving depends largely upon two other things—wise spending and safe investment. These are the three chief articles in the new national philosophy of thrift.

Benjamin Franklin has been appropriately chosen as the symbol of this new government. His shrewd and homely visage will appear on all the thrift literature. Other great American heroes will also be brought to the attention of a respectful public. Lincoln among them, and it is probable that we shall learn much about the financial habits of the great from this new bureau.

But Franklin will always be held up as the original.

Lincoln is to be held up to admiration as a man who believed in another cardinal principle of thrift, which is that you should save, not for a rainy day, but for a sunny opportunity. Lincoln did not use those particular words, but he did say, "Get ready and the chance will come."

FREDERICK J. HASKIN.

LITTLE HELPS.

Morgan J. Carnegie of the Bronx asks us to find a suitable position for him, as he has heard of our lovely climate and would like to locate in our midst. We imagine that his idea of a suitable position is lying down on the upholstering within easy reach of the buzzer. Says he:

"It must be something for a gentleman of education and refinement—something in finance or possibly

HIS IDEA OF A POSITION

literature and one in which the hours are not exacting. I could possibly begin my duties at noon, but I like to have part of my afternoons for golf, you know. We would have to arrange that. I would be willing to take the right sort of a place at, say, $500 a month. I could hardly keep rooms and a man on less, don't you know, and I suppose club dues are considerable. I could come in a few weeks if it is necessary."

It may not be necessary for you to come at all, Morgan. We are looking out for the job to which you so painstakingly refer and if we find it, we will nail it for ourself.

HIS AFTERNOONS FOR GOLF

It happens to be something we have been looking for for some time. Isn't it funny that two persons on different ends of the continent should be thinking the same way? And you didn't impress me as being a person who thought much either. I had rather fancied your man as doing your thinking for you at the same time he laid out your shirt.

However, to show that we are neither selfish or unsportsmanlike, we shall make you a proposition: When we find that job to which you refer, we will shake you the dice for it, one flop out of the box, and, as the referee says, may the best man win.

Our here the jobs in finance and literature are mainly with the films. The literary ones write the scenarios and the financial ones work the cash registers for the camera queens. It is so seldom that a literary job has anything to do with finance that I wonder how you guessed the connection. You have some funny strain of soothsayer in your blood.

You might come out here and find out how you stack up in front of the camera. They are looking for kinds of parlor pets and if your photograph like a thousand dollars a month you may get it. Your education and refinement, which you carelessly gloss over, may be unnecessary.

You are right about the climate here. It is almost too lovely to expect the climate and a place as you speak of at the same time. There are a lot of ginks here who have had to get along with one pair of suspenders and a place to hang.

The clubs here are not so exclusive. We could put you up at the Vernon Club just as cheap as a livery stable and you would get more to your liking. In case you hear of anything further to your disadvantage we will let you know.

So no more at present.

COUSIN GEO.

DOMESTIC JOY.

Not the Same. "I can't understand why so many women don't want to keep on working now that the war is over," said Mr. Gray, laying down the paper, which contained an article on women in industry. "Women have always worked," replied his wife, smoothing out the table cloth. "The difference now is that they are working away from home and getting paid for it."

Cleaning Their Minds. The minister, speaking of the action of the State Department last week in refusing the passports of two suffragettes who had intended to present the claims of women at the Paris Peace Conference. "Women should have suffrage everywhere," she said, "their minds are purer and cleaner than men's." "Undoubtedly agreed; "they can't help being cleaner, they change them so often."

Knew How It Would Be. "I engaged two cooks today," he remarked with a satisfied air as he hung up his hat. "Why two?" asked his wife. "We need only one, you know," he replied, "but one for today, tomorrow and one a week from tomorrow."

Everything Explained. "Before we were married, she used to say you always engaged a cab when you took me anywhere. Now I think the street car is good enough for me." "No, my darling, I think the street car is good enough for you; it's because I'm so fond of you. In a cab you would be seen by nobody, while I can show you to so many people by taking a street car."

LIFTING HIM UP.

Yes, woman in pursuance
Of a persevering plan
Has taken it upon herself
To lift her fellow-man!
She's tried it with the rostrum,
She tried it with her pen,
She's tried to have the ballot,
To better his affairs!
But now this complex problem
Need never vex her brain,
For she runs the elevator
In a big department store.
—[Cartoons Magazine.

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FLU END NEAR WITHOUT MASKS

Vanquish Epidemic and Show Muzzle not Needed.

Physicians Say Dr. Haynes Misled City Council.

San Francisco's Death Far Exceeded Number Here.

"Influenza cases in Los Angeles have dropped to the lowest since the beginning of the epidemic, without the use of masks, and a compulsive masking ordinance is not needed."

This, in substance, is the report of the Physicians' Advisory Committee which yesterday considered the petition filed with the Council by Dr. John R. Haynes, asking that Los Angeles be muzzled indefinitely. Incidentally, the committee discussed the petition written by Dr. Haynes to the Council and individual members called attention to numerous misleading statements in the petition, and in Dr. Haynes's submitted correspondence on the subject of masks. It was declared that the figures given in the petition are as unreliable as the deductions drawn by the petitioner.

The physicians' committee also passed a resolution calling attention to the fact that, contrary to the representations made to the Council, deaths in Los Angeles from the epidemic have been 600 less than in San Francisco.

Yesterday's reports to the Health Department show only forty-four new cases of influenza and only four deaths due to the epidemic, while the combined figures for Sunday and Monday show only seventy-one new cases and five deaths, as compared with 207 new cases and thirty-nine deaths for Sunday and Monday of last week. Official figures on influenza received by Health Commissioner Powers last night reported a total of 2999 deaths in Los Angeles up to January 25, while San Francisco deaths are given as 3626 to the same date.

W. M. Kimmick, chief quarantine officer, reported that at present there are 735 houses under quarantine for influenza and pneumonia, and this number will be reduced rapidly. Local physicians, who are now required to post quarantine notices immediately on diagnosis of influenza cases, are generally complying with the new ordinance, but a vigorous campaign, to include arrests if necessary, was ordered against physicians who fail either to placard houses or to report cases after they are placarded.

PLEADS ILLITERACY EXCUSE.

The inability of Anthony Battles, colored, to read or write more than his name, was pleaded yesterday as the reason for his alleged commission of perjury. Justice Summerfield took his case under advisement until Thursday. Battle is accused of swearing falsely in a straw bond case. A motion to dismiss the case will be heard Thursday.

TAKES THE HAND THAT FED HIM.

But Divorce Ends "Hobo" Romance that Began at Back Door.

John F. Patterson, destitute and hungry, walked wearily to the back door of G. W. Robinson's ranch home near Burbank. He was given food by the rancher's fair daughter, Mary, and came again and again to the house. One day in August, 1914, Mr. Robinson discovered that Mary had eloped to Santa Ana with Patterson.

The bride was only 17 years of age, while the groom was 40. Mr. Robinson brought them back to the ranch, and for a year he took care of both. Finally, Patterson, who wouldn't work, went away. Yesterday Mrs. Patterson was in court asking for a divorce decree, which was granted her.

BASE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY.

A regular meeting of the Auxiliary to Base Hospital No. 35 will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock on the eighth floor of the Broadway Department Store.

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In the readjustment of the country, home-building is to play an important part. The Federal Government believes it will be a big factor in restoring peacetime prosperity.

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HERE TO TELL OF FRANCE'S PROBLEMS.

Lieut. Jean Picard of the French army, who has made 2200 addresses in 250 different army and naval camps in thirty-nine States, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, and will speak to a number of audiences in this vicinity. After serving in the war from 1914 to 1917, he was wounded at Verdun and after recovering was requested by the French government to return to this country, where he had lived before the war, to tell the American people how the Huns had devastated Northern France and of the problems that must be solved by the Allies if the world is to be made safe. Lieut. Picard speaks with the approval of the government and the Y.M.C.A.

DINNER-PAIL TRICK.

Bogus-Check Artist Works It on Several Trusting Grocers.

The bogus-check artist known to the police as "The Man with the Tin Dinner Pail" appeared at 5878 Moneta avenue, the grocery store of Dyson & Setterstrom, last Friday, and ordered $14.50 worth of eatables. He presented a check for $24.75, received the change and hurried away, saying he was "late for work." Yesterday the check came back, and the grocers told the police about it.

The unidentified man has worked the same trick on several grocers.

$500 for his first Photoplay—thanks to the Palmer Plan!

Here's a letter from one of our students—just as it came to our desk the other day. And it says more for the Palmer Plan of Photoplay Writing than anything we could say:

"Though I am sure my spoken expressions of gratitude convinced you of my appreciation of the splendid and satisfying service and assistance I have been so fortunate as to receive through the Palmer Plan, I *must* add a written word of thanks. Your cheque for my photoplay synopsis, Prince Toby, which you have just sold for me to Mr. Douglas Fairbanks for $500 was a most welcome present, I assure you.

"As 'Prince Toby' is my first photoplay to be accepted, I am more than happy to make the statement that, in my humble opinion, the Palmer Plan and its Manuscript Sales Department are superlatively efficient and quite invaluable to proven writers as well as to those who would be such."

Most appreciatively,

Rodney Hynson

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Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—At the Play-houses

...e literary job has anything to d... with finance that I wonder how ... guessed the connection. You ... have some funny strain of stoc... saver in your blood.

You might come out here and ... out how you stack up in front ... the camera. They are using ... kinds of parlor pets and if you ... photograph like a thousand dol... a month you may get it. Then ... education and refinement ... which you carelessly gloat ... be unnecessary.

You are right about the cli... here. It is almost too lovely to e... pect the climate and a place ... as you speak of at the same ti... There are a lot of ginks here w... have had to get along with one p... of suspenders and a place to sl...

The clubs here are not so exp... sive. We could put you up at t... Vernon Club just as cheap as at ... livery stable and you would find ... more to your liking. In case ... hear of anything further to y... disadvantage we will let you know.

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LIFTING HIM UP.

Yes, woman in pursuance
Of a perseverling plan
Has taken it upon herself
To lift her fellow-man!
She's tried it with the rolling-p...
She tried it with her prayers,
She's tried to have the ballot-box
To better his affairs!
But now this complex problem
Need never vex her more,
For she runs the elevator
In a big department store!
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SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

Distinguished Visitors.

...and Mrs. Francios Lacombe, ... of the French high com... who have been in Washing... C. for the greater part of ... and who are now touring ... were last evening honor... of a dinner party at which ... A. Van Kaathoven was ...

...s in Los Angeles the dis... guests are domiciled at ... Ninth Hotel. Among the ... were Mr. and Mrs. Michael ... Mr. and Mrs. Russell ... and Mr. L. N. Bruns...

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds.

...and Mrs. George M. Reynolds ... who have the Stimson ... on West Adams street, are ... for a dinner party at ... Mr. and Mrs. William J. ... to entertain at the Hotel ... Pasadena, on Thursday ... Twenty-four guests are ... On the following Tues... ...g Mr. and Mrs. Doran will ... thirty guests at dinner at ... opening of the Hotel ... Pasadena. Mr. Reynolds, ... of the Continental and ... Bank of Chicago, ar... Saturday.

...L. Krebs was hostess at ... party at her Sierra Madre ... Saturday evening, having ... Mrs. William Bracken... ...Hancock Banning, Mrs. ... artist, Mrs. Seymour Locke, ... Smith, Lieut. Jarvis, Claude ... Arthur Dodworth and ... Hastings.

...of the arrival home of the ... Ammunition Train, a ... to be given at the Hotel ... Long Beach, tonight which ... of being an imposing ... the patrons and pa... most of whom are to en... ...ps of friends will be Mr. ... Harry Harrison, Mrs. Glen ... Mrs. J. J. Penny, Messrs. ... Llewellyn Bixby, P. E. ... Bixby, Ralph Clock, ... Edgar, Roland Swanfield, ... A. C. Scanlon, Hollen... ...Boyd Swain, E. E. Tincher, ... Bixby, Jr., C. F. Patrick, ...mpsel, C. P. Thompson, ... Roland Lewis, Mmes. ...mullion, F. A. Stephens, ... T. R. Merrell, Cora Barts ... N. Thompson, R. S. Ship... and Mrs. Lisenby, Dr. ... F. Bailey, Dr. and Mrs. ... and Misses Belle M. Rob... ...ld James, Laurel Chase, ...rling, Margaret Boyd, Lu... and Fennel Lorraine.

...Mrs. Anderson.

...Mrs. William H. Anderson will ... a reception on Monday evening ... of next week at her home in Victoria ... Park drive. Her guest list will be ... chosen from the drama section of ... the Wa-Wan Club and the member... ...ship of the entire chapter. She has ... asked to assist her Mrs. Grace Wid... ...ney Mabee, president of the club, ... and Miss Elanita Sepulveda. Miss ...

...Hanson Davis of the air ... has been on duty in ... in the office of the di... rector of military aeronautics for several months, will arrive in Los Angeles Wednesday evening. After a few days passed with friends here he will return to his home in San Diego and there resume his law practice.

On the evening before leaving the national capital, Maj. Davis was host at a distinguished dinner party which he gave in compliment to Maj.-Gen. Kenly, director of military aeronautics. Among those invited to meet the distinguished military man was Senator Phelan, who left Washington with Maj. Davis, he going to his home in San Francisco. Maj. Davis has had rapid promotion, since entering the service early in September. He received his majority two weeks ago.

By Mr. and Mrs. Bartles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bartles have given up their apartment on West Sixth street and have taken a cottage at Ocean Park for the winter. They were hosts at a dinner party at which Wadsworth Harris was honor guest. Some of the others present were Miss Luella Pegan Mr. and Mrs. Louis Collinger, Miss Frances Bartles of Los Angeles and Mrs. L. Parsons of Chicago.

For Mr. and Mrs. Pixley.

Mr. Frank Pixley, celebrated playwright, and Mrs. Pixley, were honored at the dinner party at which Mrs. G. Wiley Wells was hostess. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Wells Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, and Dr. and Mrs. West Hughes.

For Capt. and Mrs. Dussie.

Capt. and Mrs. Clair Dussie (Katherine Chichester) were inspiration for a dinner party at which Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Clay of San Francisco were hosts on Saturday. A dozen guests were there, Capt. and Mrs. Dussie plan to make their home in San Francisco.

Miscellaneous Shower.

To compliment Miss Onnolee Catlin, who is to wed Elmer Howlett this month, Mrs. Herbert H. Dimmitt and Miss Hazel Wilkinson were hostesses at luncheon and miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon at the latter's home at 621 Westlake avenue. About a board decorated in violets and narcissus were seated Mrs. Max Royer, Mrs. Benjamin Sheppard, Mrs. Harry B. Webster, Jr., Mrs. Norman McPhail, Mrs. Ward Montgomery, Mrs. Thomas Sjoberg, Mrs. Stephen Church, Mrs. Fred Catlin, Mrs. Charles Wilkinson, Mrs. Addie Howlett, Mrs. Robert Wilkinson, Mrs. Jack Bacon, Mrs. David Arzner, Misses Verne Walker, Florence Mullin, Fannie Edwards and Frances Dorsey.

By Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. William H. Anderson will give a reception on Monday evening of next week at her home in Victoria Park drive. Her guest list will be chosen from the drama section of the Wa-Wan Club and the membership of the entire chapter. She has asked to assist her Mrs. Grace Widney Mabee, president of the club, and Miss Elanita Sepulveda. Miss Bertha Fiske, Mme. de la Plate, Mrs. Florence Pierce Reed, Mrs. Louise Anderson Henderson, all officers. One hundred guests are to be there.

Receiving Congratulations.

Baron and Baroness Alfred de Ropp of West Adams street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of their first grandchild, a little son which was born at the Good Samaritan Hospital to Maj. and Mrs. Eric Fisher Wood (Baroness Vera de Ropp.) The little boy has been named Eric Fisher Wood, Jr., after his father, who is still in France. The marriage of Maj. Wood and the Baroness a year ago was an important social event in New York and on the Pacific Coast.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bennett and the latter's mother, Mrs. E. Spangler, are back in Los Angeles again for the winter. Mr. Bennett is a prominent banker from Artesian, S. D. He and Mrs. Bennett are parents of Mrs. J. C. Fergusson of 147 North Mariposa avenue.

Mrs. Charles McNevins and her daughter, Miss Ruth Jones of St. Paul, Minn., are here for the winter guests of Mrs. McNevins's sister, Mrs. Grace Cochran. Mrs. McNevins's husband, Maj. (Dr.) McNevins is head of the base hospital in Porta Rica, where he will probably remain for quite a while.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Widney of No. 633 West Jefferson street returned home yesterday from Chicago, where they were guests for six weeks of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley E. Brewer.

A. E. Baer of Bakersfield is in the city for a few days to be with his brother, Henry S. Baer, who underwent an operation at the Sisters' Hospital yesterday. Mr. Baer is getting along well and expects to be at the home of Adrien Loeb, 1233 South Bonnie Brae street.

Lieut. Roy Fernades of Fairfield, Ct., who saw nearly two years overseas service, arrived here yesterday and is a guest of Francois du Barry at the Savoy Hotel. Lieut. Fernandez is sometimes called the handsomest man in America. On his mother's side he comes from a famous English family and his father belongs to one of the notable families of Spain. Mr. Du Barry is the youngest French grand opera singer in America.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY LADY JANE.

Ebell Club.

Prof. Ian Stoughton Holborn, F.R.G.S., of Merton College, Oxford, spoke at the Ebell Club yesterday afternoon on "Art in Daily Life." Prof. Holborn has been giving a course of extension lectures at the University of Southern California, but yesterday afternoon he eliminated the usual lectorial attitude, and the result was an intimate talk more illuminating and entertaining for its lack of dogmatism. Prof. Holborn has a charmingly irritable and nervous manner, and his strutting back and forth upon the platform, with the manner of a particularly well-bred intellectual, added to the human interest of the occasion.

Mrs. Mathew Robertson made a delightful little speech upon the sorrows and joys of programme makers, and laid stress upon the relief that a presiding officer feels when the speaker comes up to, or goes beyond, expectations.

Prof. Holborn dwelt upon the Greek idea of art at some length, saying that the Greek designated a gentleman as "one who is beautiful and good," and that this was the gist of the phrase upon which the Greek idea of worth was based. The Middle Ages and the Renaissance were dealt with at less length, but with equal suavity. Prof. Holborn hinted at great schemes for an art future in Los Angeles, and urged us to follow the example of the Romans, who sought a superior example and then followed it. He suggests that we not dwell too much upon what we have, but upon what we have not, and then prove that imitation is the sincerest form of flattery.

Mrs. Martha Faulkner of Pennsylvania spoke a short time upon the work of building and organizing proper homes for the keeping of delinquent girls and women. Mrs. Faulkner is in the employ of the government, and is making a tour of investigation throughout the West.

Women's City Club.

Prof. Tully C. Knowles was the speaker of the afternoon yesterday at the Women's City Club. He talked on "Bolshevism; Its Principles and What it Intends to Do." Next Friday at 2 p.m., there will be a meeting of the women in charge of the tickets for the benefit to be given next week at the California Theater for the Training Home for Girls on Probation, which the City Club is sponsoring.

DRAMA.

"WHAT A NIGHT."

MUSICAL COMEDY AND VAUDEVILLE AT AUDITORIUM.

By Antony Anderson.

The quick expansion of the Angeleno mind is a most remarkable—shall we say advance or retrogression? Perhaps we should say both. One wonders about the wherefore of it, and the answer would seem to be that, inasmuch as the human biped appears to have a perpetual craving for stimulations and excitements, and that, inasmuch as the saloons and cafes are withdrawing all their moral support in this direction, therefore vaudeville and musical comedy must step forward to supply the insistent demand.

They are doing it. The exact brand has to be imported from San Francisco—of course. Nowhere else do they know how to mix cocktails of naughty entertainment so well. San Francisco has the climate to withstand 'em, and in the good old wintertime Los Angeles appears to have it, too. At any rate, Will King and his nifty musical comedy company, with the big bunch of vaudeville acts that follow in his bright trail, have begun to hold forth in merriment at Clune's Auditorium to packed houses. Being Angelenos, duly trained to outward decorum, we take our pleasure with a certain sedate seriousness—but how we chuckle inwardly and how we roll the morsels of fun under our tongues!

Yesterday the crowds were as big as they were last Monday, the great day of the "big opening." A clever new comedy with music is the piece de resistance on the bill, but the vaudeville side dishes are pungent and unctuous, the first one being nothing less slithery than trained seals. Then come Nat and Flo Albert, who sing and dance eccentrically. Follow, Betty Eldert and a rural young man in "Apple Blossom Time," prettily staged, prettily whistled—they imitate the birds and bees of Southern California—and prettily sung. Nettie de Coursey's Trio come out way in "A Breezy Breeze of Comedy and Song," with which hilarity and some impropriety in the comedy, and with great spirit from Miss De Courcey in the songs. The Choy Ling Hee Troupe are clever and colorful exponents of Chinese juggling and contortioning. Markey and Montgomery's "Fun at the Seashore" is as refreshing and frankly unrestrained as a Coney Island outing.

The bevy of pretty girls with graceful legs and abbreviated skirts in "What a Night" would carry the show even if the musical comedy didn't have such a rorking comedian and character actor as Will King. There are eight lively musical numbers in "What a Night," any number of lively and graceful dances and marches, innumerable changes of costume—all of them charming—for the pretty chorus girls, and continuous laughter for the rest of us.

In the vulgar, but expressive, parlance of today—some show for your money!

"The Hell Cat."

Willard Mack has achieved a certain fame—or is it notoriety?—for the fine "breadth of view" that has always characterized him as a playwright. He is past master at the sensational stuff, and he doesn't care who knows it. But it is my impression, garnered from an interested survey of many of his one-act shilling shockers, that he is not much interested in the delineation of character. His men and women lead adventurous lives, but their exploits don't seem to lead them anywhere in particular, morally or spiritually. In other words, they are galvanically active, but not really alive.

So it is with his picture play, "The Hell Cat," which Reginald Barker has just directed for Geraldine Farrar, and which is showing at the California this week. "The Hell Cat" is announced as Willard Mack's new sensation, and this is exactly what it is—only that, and nothing more. A sensation, however, is seldom very thrilling, or gripping, or uplifting. "The Hell Cat" is none of these things. But it is highly interesting, its pictorial value in the outdoor scenes is very great, and you leave it with the impression of having spent a very pleasant hour, but not one filled with the suffocating excitements that Willard Mack no doubt aimed at. The man who would produce a genuine work of art must have convictions, not merely clever formulas. He must believe in life even more than he believes in art. Apparently Willard Mack believes in neither.

In Pancha O'Brien, the Irish girl with the Spanish temperament, Geraldine Farrar has a role that suits her, outwardly and inwardly, in every particular. She looks it and she acts it—sometimes, indeed, she overacts it, but it must be remembered that she was trained in grand opera, and the noble gestures in opera are hard to forget. Milton Sills is Jack Webb, Sheriff of the county, and Pancha's lover. He is restrained, dignified and handsome in the role. Tom Santschi's Jim Dyke, cattle rustler and sheep killer, is a notable piece of work. Evelyn Axzell is good in the part of Wan-o-Mee, though perhaps too classically beautiful for an Indian girl.

The continuity in "The Hell Cat" shows several weak spots, but on the whole this "new sensation" by Willard Mack offers attractive entertainment. Would it were more real, not so much a series of startling pictures!

"Who Will Marry Me?"

That is a wonderful title for the press agent. Just couple it with a portrait of charming Carmel Myers, and who can resist finding out the why of the question? But then imagine the bunkoed feeling to discover that the males, from the greasy Italian barber to the immaculate society thoroughbred, are crazy about her!

But the real subject of the photoplay is "Thoroughbreds and How Not to be Them!" And if the man who invented the Goops will now only oblige with some critical studies on the subject! Judging from "Who Will Marry Me?" the prerequisite of a perfect male thoroughbred is the inclination and ability to get thoroughly, joyfully and artistically soused on occasion. Then a thoroughbred should be kind to women, even his wife. He should also be careful about scandals on his hearthstone; should a man be shot within his home, let him die in peace—don't think of calling an ambulance and risking a story in the papers.

And for a woman thoroughbred the pinnacle of honor is perjury, providing it is to help the man she loves. Ah, well, it goes great on the screen, and who is to say for sure that it is not the real thing in morality?

After all, the main thing is that Carmel Myers is a splendid little actress. She's learned recently to dress her hair most becomingly—and to rumple anyone else's hair artistically — both acquisitions of merit. And as the little Italian girl who comes from the slums, marries a drunk, cures him by recounting the tale of an uncle "who was a boozer, too—he's dead now," and who achieves thoroughbredness by falsifying on the witness stand to save him from a murder charge—Carmel does some splendid work.

And when all is said and done, a photoplay should not be criticised at all when it is so daring as to "fade out" with the hero kissing his mother-in-law!

"Her Inspiration."

The Hippodrome has a good bill this week, headed by May Allison in "Her Inspiration," an amusing comedy-drama of Kentucky moonshiners that has an extraordinary twist at the end. Miss Allison, as a little "mountain dewdrop," suspicious of all, for they may be "revenooers," and afraid of none, calmly saves the life of the man she loves and watches him depart forever—and then comes the twist.

The six vaudeville acts are all worthy of first mention. Greenhoff and Tiny, artistic dancers, and the comedy playlet, "Pinched," are about the most pleasing, while George Rand, the blackface comedian, produces more laughs than any other two acts on the bill. Gertrude Dudley and company have a humorous singing act that they call "Class and Jazz." Arville and McNight, billed "The Two Nifties," present some unusual acrobatic tricks, and Ware and Marvin, two singing and dancing girls, get away with some more laughs.

MUSICAL.

CONCERT IN CHURCH.

AMERICAN GUILD, ORGANISTS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

The American Guild of Organists of Southern California gave a concert last evening at the First Congregation Church, preceded by a dinner for the Guild at St. Paul's parish house.

Mr. W. F. Skeele, organist of the Congregational church, played the "American Wedding Hymn" by Woodman; Allegro from the "Pathetique" of Tschaikowsky and an introduction and scherzo by Bartlett. The number were varied in style and admirably performed. Mr. R. W. Allen played a Scherzo Symphonique by Faulkes, a Nocturne by Peralta and a Marche Solenelle by Barowski. Mr. Wesley Kuhnle played a Chromatique Fantasie by Thiele, an Alla Marcia by Reinberger, and the finale to the Sonata No. 10 by the same composer.

The First Congregational Choir Quartette, Mr. Haydn Jones, Mme. Anna Sprotte, Mrs. Edith MacDonald and Mr. H. P. Page, sang "Source of Every Blessing," and "Awake, Put on Strength." The large audience was enthusiastically pleased with the music, and with the intention of the guild to further the interest in organ music in Southern California, which is blessed with a number of exceptionally talented organists.

URGES PLANTING OF TREES AS MEMORIAL.

E. H. Kelly, representing the National War Gardens Association, yesterday addressed the Women's Committee of the Los Angeles Home Gardens Committee and made a number of recommendations which will be given careful consideration, according to the local officers. He advised that the city plant trees as memorials to fallen heroes; that the social and moral influence of home gardens be intensified; that all home garden work be conducted under the exclusive supervision of the city, and that steps be taken to establish and endow a community canning and dehydration plant.

It was further urged by Mr. Kelly that the city employ a paid superintendent to oversee all of the home gardens work.

SOCIAL: COMEDY,: GRAUMAN'S.

"Don't Change Your Husband," De Mille Picture.

Gloria Swanson.

FLASHES.

SARAH PADDEN CHARMS.

ORPHEUM STAR SCORES HIT IN NOVEL SKETCH.

By Grace Kingsley.

Vaudeville is becoming more and more sophisticated, that is, high-class vaudeville. What has become of the phonograph jokes, of the "prima donna" from Wahoo, of the endurance clog-dancers, of the imitators of Elsie Janis? Relegated to the small time on the kerosene circuit, probably. Meantime we count that bill something of a failure which doesn't bring forth an act embodying some brand-new idea, artistically expounded, some intellectual subtlety cleverly visualized.

Such an idea is that of "The Eternal Barrier," in which Sarah Padden is appearing at the Orpheum this week. The novelty lies in the fact that Miss Padden plays the sketch alone, though the impression is that three other people are in the room. The young wife of a soldier slain in France, her nerves unstrung through the events through which she has passed, has to meet the father, mother and sister of the dead man—a family which resented his marrying her. She visits them, and while she waits in the library, she goes through a fancied mental combat with them each in turn, all a monologue. Opens as if by magic a door at the side, and she talks to the imaginary sister, arguing with her, pleading her own cause; then another door opens and the mother is supposed to enter, a third door, and the father. She herself was a nurse in France, and she describes the bravery of the soldier, and how they brought him to the hospital wounded. "Then," she says, "they gave him this"—holding up the croix de guerre, "and they says over there it weighs just the same as a human heart!" Finally, in a frenzy of unhappiness, she cries to the father: "Though you're a family of snobs, you can't find fault with me now. These hands have nursed Princes and Kings back to life! And you shan't have the cross—it's mine—just as he was mine!" Miss Padden's tremendous power in this playlet lies in the mounting dramatization she gives it—and to her wonderfully vibrant and colorfully expressive voice, which thrills you and makes you weep at will.

Dear, dear! What will the musical comedies do when once the war is, say, a year old! Gus Edwards's Annual Song Revue is full of pretty girls and changeful scenery and harmonious warbling, with the American flag much in evidence, and with half a dozen of those kitless soldiers and shipless sailors that now adorn every musical comedy event, thrown in for good measure. George Le Maire, ably assisted by Clay Crouch, both in blackface, have some hilariously funny talk about a proposed operation on Crouch. It has one immortal lines. After Le Maire has told his victim he "may die, but thousands will be saved," Crouch looks up and remarks ruefully, "But, doc, death am so awfully permanent!" "One Moment, Please," turns out to be a very amusing fifteen minutes with Florenz Ames and Adelaide Winthrop burlesquing through an Indian love song and others equally funny. Osaki & Taki, have parked their Japanese clothes, and do their adroit athletic stunts in American tights. They score a hit. The holdovers include "Rubeville" and Swor and Avey.

Tally's Broadway.

A Chaplin film is like a cocktail to a drinking man, the feminine leg divine to the Follies hound, a mash note to an actor—even though old, it's ever new. "A Dog's Life" is repeating at Tally's Broadway this week after a lapse of several months; and even though you saw it once or even twice at that time, you'll laugh just as hard again at Charlie and the little mutt, at Charlie stealing the "hot dogs," at Charlie sticking to the chewing gum while he's trying to dance, at the weeping of the fat woman when Edna sings, at Charlie's ruse to get the pocketbook back from the ruffians.

Some scenario writer evidently thought Alice Brady had been leading too hard a film life during these past few months. So he wrote "Her Great Chance," which is a simple, quiet little tale of real people, with no high-voltage villains or broken homes or ruined pink-gingham heroines. As always Miss Brady is sincere and intelligent and gives one a sense of fine dramatic instinct. The rich young man doesn't try to ruin the poor shopgirl. Instead he marries her at the last, just as a good, sensible American man would do and they go West to grow up with the country where he doesn't knock down a single ruffian. Clean, sweet, refreshing, natural is this photoplay.

Mae Marsh's Plans.

It now turns out that Mae Marsh, who is shortly to go to New York, accompanied by her husband, Louis Lee Armes, has practically finished her Goldwyn contract, which expires this month. In any case her health is not such, she said yesterday, as would permit her to work before next September. She expects to spend the next few months very quietly.

Asked whether she would renew her contract with Goldwyn, Miss Marsh said she did not expect to. In fact, she had received an offer from another big concern which appeared to her much more attractive.

MILLION DOLLARS FOR RELIEF OF POLAND.

A reprint of the check for $1,000,000 which the National Polish Department contributed to the relief of Poland has been received by W. A. Pawlowski, manager of the foreign department, Security Trust and Savings Bank. The money is half the amount required to outfit the steamer which will sail to Danzig under control of the United States Food Administration. The check was made payable to the United States Food Administration and was signed by M. L. Piotrowski, John F. Smulski and D. A. Szwajkart, officers of the National Polish Departments.

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DON'T KNOW.

There is much about the influenza that the physicians know nothing about, although they are doing their best to combat it. The immunity of children and old people with but very little resisting power, is a question the profession does not attempt to solve.

CRAZY QUILT POLITICS.

For a mushroom republic Germany started off like an old-timer. Eight different political parties were represented on the first ballot and they seemed to stand for everything but law and order. With eight rival interests in the running it would seem that a party pledged to orderly justice should have a good chance—even in Germany.

RUM AND PEACE.

The South Dakota Legislature asks that prohibition be made a condition of admittance to a League of Nations. According to the resolution a country must come in dry or not at all. It might be hard to get a quorum under that rule and the company of France would have to be dispensed with. But some of the prohibitionists would rather have a world smelling of gunpowder than of hops.

WHY NOT HERE?

The Missouri Legislature has before it a plan for the consolidation of departments and some practical amendments to the primary law that are declared to be in the interest of economy and good government. They seem to be doing it everywhere—except in California. If consolidating departments, eliminating commissions and simplifying primary laws is in the interest of economy and good government, why can't they try some of it in California? Is the southland taxpayer always to be a goat?

THE WORLD'S SHIPPING.

The United States has had to cut shipping rates to many foreign ports 50 to 100 per cent. in order to get within flagging distance of the freight charges of English and other carriers. One conception of freedom of the seas would mean that American vessels must compete with the rest of the world in rates and service if they get the business. Existing shipping regulations will have to be materially amended before this can be done or else the League of Nations will have to provide a maritime programme which shall regulate the commerce of the world and be sanctioned by all the countries thereof. As the situation stands American vessels would have difficulty in competing with Japanese bottoms for the traffic of the Pacific.

THE SOUL AND THE SOLDIER.

In connection with the new church movement of getting together for God the reports of nearly all the returning army chaplains are to the effect that the soldiers turned naturally and easily to religion in time of stress. They were serious, but not weepy, and they developed a sincere affection for many of the grand old hymns. In a voting contest for popularity "Abide With Me" would have the last fox trot beaten a thousand miles even if all the participants were from the ranks of the flippant and careless. At company or regimental services, Christians, Catholics, Jews and the uncatalogued bent their heads in reverence side by side. There was no disputation over creeds or forms but a deep respect for the gospel of their fathers and mothers—not the ancient presentment of hell-fire, but the Christly conception of the brotherhood of man. There was a profound respect for prayer that seemed out of consonance with the reckless part. Even when a soldier was certain that there was no efficacy in prayer he found a serious satisfaction in indulging in it. It was that involuntary recognition of a Deity, a Supreme Being which is the birthright of mankind.

Therefore it is that there is a sort of an after-the-war understanding between all men of religious thought and leadership that they will work together in frank harmony that the seed already sown may be brought to bear fruit. There shall be a consolidation and centralization of churches, an elimination of creed barriers, a simplifying of forms, so that all well-intentioned men and women may get together on a programme of faith and service. There is no time for division over doctrines when the world is to be made safe for Christian democracy. All paths should point to the greater good and it makes little difference to the traveler which one he takes, so long as he is headed in the right direction and is charted to the proper destination.

UGLY AS THE DEVIL.

"The question that now arises is whether by reason of strength and perfection of organization the men in one district can dictate wages that are materially higher than those that the increased cost of living would justify." Charles Piez, chairman of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, asserts this is the issue confronting not alone the Emergency Fleet Corporation but the Federal government and the country at large. The labor unions associated with the so-called Metal Trades Council have violated the agreements relating to hours and wages that their own presidents signed; agreements to which the Federal government is a party; agreements which every shipyard owner in the country has observed to the letter. They have resorted to their favorite weapons, strike and sabotage, to force the shipyard owners of the Pacific Coast to submit to a new scale of hours and wages which (according to the government officials who have no private interest in the controversy,) "are materially higher than those which the increased cost of living would justify."

Reports from the Seattle yards are to the effect that the labor union agitators seek to impress upon every member of every union that Junker shibboleth: "We have the right to do whatever we have the might to do. The question of justice reduces itself to one of force and the only right is the right of the strongest." The serious nature of the situation is intensified by the knowledge that nearly all these union labor agitators are secret members of Bolshevist "soviets" recently established on the Pacific Coast. It is the menace of Bolshevism under the mask of labor-unionism.

There is small choice between these laborites throwing down their tools at a time when additional vessels are needed to carry American exports to our heroic, but hungry, Allies, and soldiers mutinying in the face of the enemy.

Not even a semblance of justice appears in their act. Chairman Piez does not hesitate to place the blame where it belongs; it is a flagrant breaking of signed covenants, not by the rank and file of workers, who are led into it, but by the American Federation of Labor. "The strike is a direct violation of a solemn contract entered into between the American Federation of Labor (representing the workers,) the United States Navy and the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation," asserts Mr. Piez in a formal statement to the shipyard workers and to the public. But the American Federation of Labor has taken no steps to send its mutinous members back to their work. They have not even been admonished that they are violating solemn trade agreements and that they must live up to their contracts on penalty of expulsion from the Federation. Their actions are not only condoned, but other unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor have announced their intention of joining in a "sympathy strike."

II.

THE war between free peoples and military despotism is not over. The Times has taken frequent occasion to point out that an armistice is not a treaty of peace. European cables disclose that there is a growing reaction in Germany against signing a peace dictated by the Allies. The monarchical party is watching eagerly for any signs of dissension among the Allied countries which might make it impossible for the same forces to unite again under Marshal Foch and complete the work that was only fairly begun when the German government collapsed. Any weakness on the part of the Allies is a new incentive to the Junkers to continue their watchfulness and their preparations for renewing hostilities.

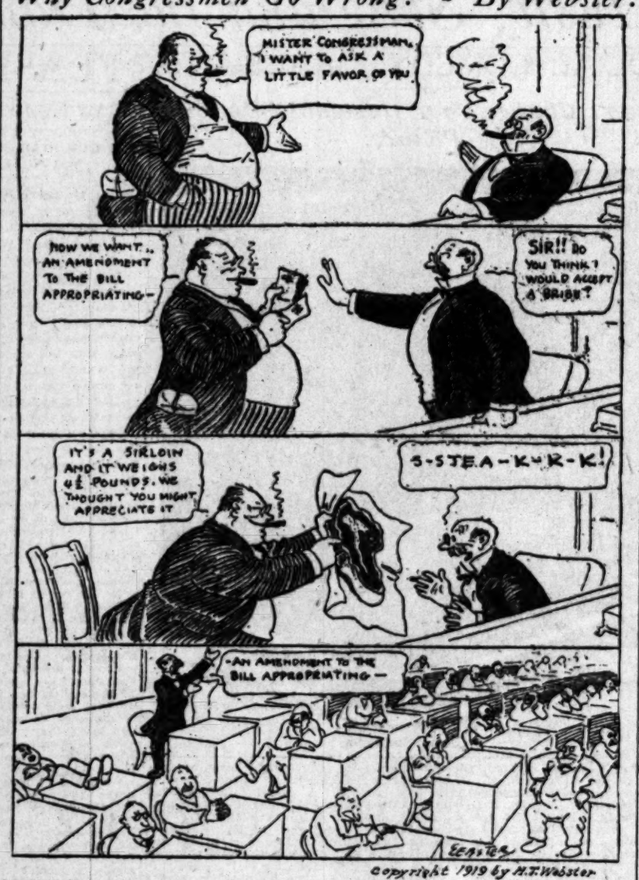
President Wilson is now making a historic effort to unite the nations of the world in a great international association based upon justice and self-determination of peoples. How can we expect him to be successful abroad when the word justice is made a mockery by the labor union bosses at home? The present issue is not one between employer and employee, but between unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor and the Federal government. The employers signed the covenant to be bound in all matters relating to hours and wages by the findings of the shipbuilding labor adjustment board, popularly known as the Macy board. They have observed both the letter and the spirit of the judgments of that board, which consists of three members, one appointed by the chairman of the American Federation of Labor, one by the President of the United States and the third named jointly by the Emergency Fleet Corporation and the Navy Department. It will be observed that the shipyard owners had little to do, and the labor unions much to do, with the selection of the members of that board. The repudiation by the laborite leaders is as unjustifiable as the repudiation by the German government of its neutrality treaties concerning Belgium.

III.

CHAIRMAN PIEZ points out that to grant the demands for shorter hours and higher pay made by the laborites would soon result in closing the shipyards where they are employed. "The increasing cost of shipbuilding in America, influenced largely by the constantly increasing labor cost," he asserts, "threatens the very future of the industry in this country, unless the output is brought proportionately up to the elevated wage scale." Shipbuilding is a comparatively recent industry on the Pacific Coast. Its latent possibilities have not yet been fully revealed. And the whole industry is threatened at its inception by the greed, the disloyalty and the dishonorable action of the union labor despots. Capt. Robert Dollar has produced comparative statistics to show that the cost of ship construction on the Pacific Coast was four times greater in August, 1918, than in August, 1913. The reason was apparent: the wages of the men had doubled and the output per man had diminished one-half. Double pay for half service was the answer. It is well known that the unions have established what they term a maximum day's output and that men are dropped from the unions when convicted of exceeding that maximum.

Contrast the unions' attitude—dissatisfied with wages averaging about $7 a day and striking for more—with that of the American soldiers and sailors who fought at times twenty-four hours a day, offered their lives as a supreme sacrifice with a smile on their lips, for a monetary stipend of $1 a day.

Why Congressmen Go Wrong? - By Webster.



Associated Newspapers.

Yet both were engaged in the same great conflict of freedom against despotism; the workman in the shipyards and the soldier in the trenches were in the service of their common country.

Does a man renounce honor and love of country when he joins a labor union?

IV.

GRANTING for the moment that the unions have the power by reason of strength and perfection of organization to close all the shipyards on the Pacific Coast—and closed they soon would be if these demands were granted, for the cost of production would be so high that the ships could not be marketed—who would benefit? Surely it would not be the workers and their families, for they are dependent upon their labor for their bread. The Department of Labor reported Monday that 265,000 jobless men are applying for work to the Federal employment bureaus. Add to this army the thousands of shipyard workers who voluntarily left their jobs and the question of employment becomes more acute. What will those workers have won to recompense them for starving children and women driven to prostitution or suicide?

This question touches the crux of the controversy. It reveals a menace which the American people will disregard to their peril. BOLSHEVIST LEADERS KNOW THAT THE WAGES DEMANDED ARE HIGHER THAN THE SHIPPING INDUSTRY CAN PAY; THEY KNOW A COLLAPSE WOULD FOLLOW THAT WOULD CLOSE EVERY SHIPYARD ON THE PACIFIC COAST; AND THIS IS THE VERY CONDITION THEY ARE PLOTTING TO BRING ABOUT. BOLSHEVISM IS SOMETHING MORE THAN A NAME. IT IS A THEORY OF GOVERNMENT BASED UPON THE TOTAL DESTRUCTION OF ALL EXISTING INDUSTRIES, OF ALL EXISTING POLITICAL CONSTITUTIONS. IT CONTEMPLATES THROWING CIVILIZATION INTO A CHAOS WHERE THE ACCUMULATED WEALTH OF THE WORLD WILL BECOME THE LOOT OF THE STRONGEST AND THE BEST ORGANIZED.

The Bolshevists have discovered that the best way to wreck an industry is to make it unprofitable. They have found that workers will not knowingly throw down their tools and reduce themselves and their families to starvation and misery; but they have learned that many an honest, industrious workman can be tricked into doing so through joining in a demand for higher wages and shorter hours. He is thus led into a strike without being aware of the gulf at the end of the trail.

The Times has frequently pointed out that this Bolshevist spirit is foreign to the nature of the American workman. The majority of the striking unionites are men of good intent and patriotic hearts who have been misled by the crafty agitators who use the labor unions as stepping stones on which to rise to power and affluence. These agitators have themselves been blinded by the spotlight in which Lenine and Trotzky appear and each has pictured for himself a similar career in America. A million German soldiers were killed fighting for their Emperor before the eyes of the remainder became opened to the hollow mockery of the cause they were supporting. American labor is passing through a similar trial. Tens of thousands of honest workmen are supporting dishonest and corrupt leaders without being aware of it.

Men and women of America—fellow toilers! The strike menace is the ugliest thing in sight in the world today. We must fight it as we fought those Junkers across the seas!

It is all right to mark the route of a journey on the roads, but the latest is to do that service for the benefit of airplanes. Which is another point on which the public would like a bit of enlightenment. Is there any danger of a flyer getting off the road?

The government has guaranteed the present prices of wheat until January 1, 1920, so the folks who have been counting on getting an old-fashioned loaf of bread for a nickel might as well blow out the gas and go to bed.

THOSE GERMAN COLONIES.

The foreign offices of the different Allies are not engaging in any wild scramble to secure possession of Germany's former colonies. Reports of discussions at the Peace Conference disclose that, as The Times recently predicted, under the new era of industrialism those colonies will be a liability to any country, not an asset.

There was a time when little and primitive peoples were exploited by powerful and sophisticated neighbors, when colonies were taxed into misery and native peoples robbed in the interest of some great military autocracy. But that condition disappeared with the passing of the great autocratic monarchies. The following pertinent criticism of the British Foreign Office deals with present day conditions: "Mandatories might feel themselves settled with enormous financial responsibilities, in an effort to develop their wards, and yet be subject to criticism in the event that they failed to bring them forward."

Yet there was a time when England would have rushed headlong into a European war to gain possession of one-half the colonies which are now a drug on the international market. Colonization and exploitation were once synonymous terms. Only a few centuries ago Spain collected enough tribute in her American colonies to build an invincible armada and embark on a campaign of world domination. And it is interesting to reflect that not one of those exploited American colonies is now a Spanish province.

Under republican forms of government colonies cease to be revenue producers; they will no longer repay the cost of development. This is because development is now conducted along industrial lines and there are no administrative profits for the guardian country. Wards of nations in these days of self-determination are generally wayward and wasteful dependencies.

PRESIDENTIAL PHRASES.

The phrases Roosevelt popularized, that have become part of the small currency of our speech, have been listed by those who have written of him lately.

President Wilson's favorite locution, "May I not?" is taking its place alongside "delighted," "strenuous," "mollycoddle" and the other approved expressions of his predecessor. He used it at the outset of his response to the French Senate.

Which reminds one of the comment of a doughboy on the Orizaba when the George Washington was descried wallowing along in the rough of the waves making the best speed she could with her important passenger list.

He called to his mates to share with him the wonderful sight.

"Look at the old George Washington, making twenty-one may-I-knots an hour!"—[Philadelphia Ledger.

SUSPICIOUS OF THE BANKER.

Mr. Roberts, a banker in a western town, was very bald and was in the habit of wearing his hat in the bank during business hours, as a protection from flies in warm weather and from cold breezes in winter.

Every week a negro employee of the bank presented a check and drew his wages. One day, as he was putting the money in a worn and greasy wallet, the banker chanced to pass by and asked:

"Look here, John, why don't you let some of that money stay in the bank and keep an account with us?"

"Well, sah," replied the negro, leaning toward the banker and gazing curiously at the Panama hat he wore, "I's always afeared. You see, suh, you look like you was always ready to start somewheres."—[Chicago News.

SWORD DEADLIER THAN GUN.

In spite of the long casualty lists of the present war, fought with all the fiendish contrivances of modern science, the destruction of life is not so great in proportion to earlier wars when soldiers fought hand to hand. The most deadly of all weapons was the Roman short sword. Caesar reported that, at the battle he fought near Namur, his soldiers slew 60,000 of the Nervii. There were no wounded when the weapon was the short sword. As men began to fight at longer range the death lists grew shorter. It is an axiom of modern war that it costs a marksman his own weight in lead to kill one of the enemy.—[People's Home Journal.

THE OUTLANDER.

BY OLIVER TOWNE.

In almost all countries the apostles of disorder are aliens. It is the men born outside the government who would overthrow it. In England as well as America the urge for revolution, the spread of Bolshevism is under outside leadership. Men born in this country and educated in American schools do not furnish the backbone for the Idle Workers of the World. Neither are they the roaring spokesmen of the Bolsheviki. The Russ and the Magyar may rave against the rule of law, but left to himself the American will accept it as the inevitable and behave accordingly. It is only when the wells of patriotism are poisoned by the admixture of alien and discordant elements that the health of the nation is seriously endangered. As it is hard for an American to think in German, so it is hard for people of many tongues to have common thought. For the preservation of the world's peace it would be well to give Russia to the Russians and save America for Americans. The habit people have of rushing up and down the earth spreading strange doctrines for every or any listening ear should not be encouraged. Indeed representative governments should do their utmost to check and repress it and this might well be matter for the consideration of a League of Nations. When a man extends the hospitality of his home he does not thereby consent to the corrupting of his wife, the debauching of his daughter or the vagabondage of his son. Yet America has given a welcome to aliens who have embarked upon this inhospitable programme from the moment they passed within the purview of the Statue of Liberty.

At this moment propagandists from Petrograd and exponents of foreign and anarchistic thought are to be found in all the larger industrial communities of the land. Sometimes insidiously, often openly, they spread the gospel of unrest and hatred of established order. When the time is ripened or the field sown they lead the workingman to take up the only weapon which he seems to thoroughly know—the strike, and use it to beat down the public weal or governmental authority. Some of the pretexts advanced for striking would be amusing did not tragedy lurk behind. Men accustomed to a fifty-four-hour week were given one of forty-seven and immediately struck for one of forty hours. Men whose forbears raised large and contented families on a dollar a day are striking for a dollar an hour. Thousands of workmen quit their tasks because arrangements had not been made for them to all get their beer together at the same lunch period.

Some of the leaders have become emboldened by the liberty granted them. One of them says: "Does anybody suppose we care what we strike for? Of course we have to have something to hold our forces together and talk about. Just now we are demanding a forty-hour week, but if we had a thirty-hour one we would be striking just the same."

There is not a creative idea in the whole lot. What they really do want is not fully set forth except that they intend to break up "the system." Presumably that is the government and existing authority, for the safety and preservation of these depend upon a wholesome co-operation of industry and finance. Instead of permitting this alignment they are bringing about a mutual distrust and disregard. The employer and employed each feel compelled to go armed against one another and the companionship of personal interest has almost disappeared. For this the foreign-born system, which has suppressed the initiative of the individual for the common level of the organization, is largely responsible.

What would be helpful would be a getting back to first principles and this would be gained by giving Russia to the Russians—and making them stay there. Leave America to the Americans and she will work out her own salvation without much fear and very little trembling.

MODERN PROPHECIES.

And so I predict that Burbank will be called upon in the near future, by the capitalist class, to grow human beings with six hands and feet each, so that men or women can accomplish several jobs at once; that the British "higher-ups" will lay down the law at the peace table regarding the "freedom of the seas," and that Uncle Sam will yield with his usual grace; that wars will never cease because there is so much money to be made in munition manufacturing and profiteering, and because the common man cannot vote on the question of war, and the women do not rule equally with men; and because men are afraid of being called afraid, and because the idea that his country is the superior is fostered in the growing child—but I could go on indefinitely.

I predict that the time will come when idleness will be looked upon with aversion, when the useless person will be ostracized. Did you ever see on an otherwise healthy and prolific fruit tree the strange, fungus-like scale that I believe is called "woolly aphis"? Look closely and you will discover millions of little insects, all alive, all feeding voraciously, all sucking the sap of the patient fruit tree. And the tree (unless this scale is scraped off and destroyed) will become impoverished, gradually grow sterile and useless.

There is a breed of human beings which are of no more use to the world than these insects—they are, in fact, human "woolly aphis." They seem to take a pride in their helplessness, in their nonproduction; they live idle lives, earning nothing; and always there is some poor fruit tree whose life blood they are sucking. Like the parasites, they should be scraped off the earth and destroyed. Some day the world will see with a clearer vision just what a menace these human insects are.—[San Francisco Newsletter.

Rumbling as it Comes.

Speaking of the car of Juggernaut, consider the relentless water wagon.—[Chicago News.

DROLL STORIES.

Boston Man Silenced.

Owing to the war, a distinguished Boston man deprived of his summer trip to Europe, went to the Pacific Coast instead. Stopping off at Salt Lake City, he strolled about the city and made the acquaintance of a little Mormon girl.

"I'm from Boston," he said to her. "I suppose you do not know where Boston is?"

"Oh, yes, I do," answered the little girl eagerly. "Our Sunday-school has a missionary there."—[Argonaut.

Thought He was Over There.

One of our transports sailing from an Atlantic port, heading for France with a load of negro troops, had engine trouble two days out. It was decided that the ship put back to port, and it returned, but to a different pier of that same port.

The husky warriors were immediately unloaded and made ready to embark on another ship. While standing in line, one of the braves stepped out and walking up to an officer asked:

"Ah beg yo' pardin, sah, but can you tell me whar the city of Paris lies from hyere?"—[George A. Spano in Judge.

Not to a Success.

When Judge Stubbs was on the bench of the juvenile court at Indianapolis, a drunken father was on trial for nonsupport of his children.

"Just how badly does your husband become intoxicated, madam?" he asked. "Does he drink to excess?"

"Well, judge," the wife and mother replied, "we don't have anything to eat or any clothes or fire or anything but what I earn, but he don't drink to a success, not so as to break up the furniture or beat me and the children; no, I don't think I could say as he ever drinks to a success."—[Indianapolis News.

Waiting-room Repartee.

Two professional actresses met in the waiting-room in a railway station. One was a young widow, the other a young married lady. The widow began arranging her toilet before the mirror there and fixing her hair.

"I see," said the other, "you're one of the 'have been beauties.'"

"Well, miss," replied the widow, "'tis better to be a 'have been beauty' any day than a 'never wasser.'"—[Chicago News.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THE GRIEF HOG.

There is no trouble here below
for ordinary mortals; ex-Kaiser Bill
has cornered woe, and we have
naught but chortles. The Kaiser always was a pig when he was busy
reigning; unless he got the portion
big he sat around complaining. And
now that he's no longer chief he's
hogged the stock of sadness, he's
cornered all there is of grief and
we're condemned to gladness. I try
to dig up some despair, but there is
none to gather; The Kaiser's got it
in his lair, he has the whole blamed
slather. Perhaps you think you
have a woe, but it's an imitation:
there isn't any, that I know, in all
this blooming nation. The Kaiser
has it stored away in boxes, bales
and cases; it's all in his old castle
gray, there's none in other places.
It's really useless scratching round
for any brand of sorrow; you cannot buy it by the pound, no gallon
can you borrow. The Kaiser has it
salted down, it's in his safe deposit;
old Bill, the king without a crown,
old Bill, the great what was it. So
don't pretend you're in despair and
sprinkle teardrops many; for Bill
has cornered all the care and he
won't part with any.

WALT MASON.

THE HEDJAZ NOT FOR US.

The statesmen of the kingdom of Hedjaz want the United States to undertake their protection. In the American vernacular the answer to this proposition will have to be "Nothing doing." Protection of Arabia would indeed represent an entangling alliance for us. It is too far away from Pennsylvania avenue and from the principles of the Constitution of the United States. In the matter of the tombs of the prophets, that of Joseph Smith represents trouble enough for us.

Great Britain, which freed the Hedjaz from the Turks and restored the holy places of Mecca, Medina and Jerusalem to the custody of their rightful heritors, has benevolently undertaken the protection of this entire region. We shall leave the matter in the hands—her able hands, for Great Britain has done more protecting, and done it with more pertinacity and on the whole with more success, than any other modern nation. The liberties of the Hedjaz will be safe in her hands. Never will the prophet have slumbered so peacefully as with the Union Jack somewhere in view from his last resting place. — [Boston Transcript.

WHO IS HOOVER?

Every urchin licking his dinner plate clean from Barnstable to Tacoma knows as well as you and I and the Belgian refugee in a cellar in Flanders that from beginning to end the Food Administration is Herbert Hoover. He can hardly be said to have been appointed to the place. He was apparently born for the purpose. He was there looming into the position before anyone ever thought of such a position. What everyone else knew about the business could have been engraved on a ten-cent piece. Nobody knows how he found out. He just turned up fully equipped, a Napoleon of food, handling the entire domestic economy of the Belgian people under the guns and the nose of the Kaiser, as if he had been doing nothing else for ten generations.

When we declared war his name was a household word in half the world synonomous with the relief of starving Walloons. He is a man of few words and no similes. But before any Food Administration was established or Administrator was appointed his brief statements were accepted in this country as the final word upon the subject.—[World's Work.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF

Some things are still tr...

And among them is tying ... Sam's work.

There is occasion now—and ... —for the firing squad.

The newspapers do not ... natural without the war ...

It was the German fleet ... ships that was too cowed to ...

There is nothing more ... in this life than plenty of ... and a pair of old shoes.

What has become of the ... used to be held in this ...

Wonder how the soldiers ... are getting on overseas with ... of winding up the barbed ...

It is possible that the ... the Peace Conference in ... quarreling about who shall ... George Creel.

It is announced that the ... grand fleet will soon pay a ... the United States. Come on, ... who's afraid?

Pictures of Lenine and ... are appearing in the papers. ... from appearances no wonder ... of few days and full of trouble.

Chief Atchee of the Ute ... tribe is dead. Judging by ... he must have gone to the ... hunting ground by the ...

With the men from the ... ing the stories of their ... will be some soft pedaling ... part of the ladies who have ... of insisting on telling ... operations.

A number of the breweries ... paring to turn over their ... manufacturing enterprises. ... wouldn't they be just the ... which to issue Arthur ... newspapers?

Isn't it wonderful how ... we found a lot of unawesome ... when the sugar ban was on ... be a surprise if, with the ... there is not a diminution ... of the sweetstuff.

What we need in this ... much as anything else is ... to edit the inscriptions on ... stones. A visit to a cemetery ... out the query, wonder what ... the hard-boiled folks are here ...

If the bars are put up against ... further immigration to this ... it will help in this regard, ... shall have no Bolshevist ... down the jobs of professional ... cal economy in American ...

If all of the Europeans ... are coming to America in the ... visit of President Wilson, it ... necessary for Congress to ... sort of Secretary of Entertainment. ... How would Hon. Jinham ...

The physicians of Los Angeles ... covered one thing while ... "flu," and that was that a ... a mustache seldom suffers ... the disease. But isn't that ... a price to pay for wearing ... tache?

There need be no worry ... part of anybody because there ... is to be "dry". It is not ... to have whisky in the house. ... know of several families that ... been raised without it, and ... are getting along fairly well.

Here is a pointer for ... make no charge: The fleet ... Pershing has been knighted ... English government will ... in getting him the ... either party for President ... provided he wants it and ... effort.

There has been a general ... tion of school throughout ... and now that the ban has been ... it is a question whether ... practical was accomplished ... order. There is a lot of ... "flu" that the physicians ... know, although the price ... visit remained the same.

They are still spending ... time and money paying ... departed statesmen in ... If a Senator or Representative ... thousands of copies of ... are sent over the country, ... tributing to the paper shortage ... are mentioning no names but in ... cases three cheers would be ... enough.

THE DESTRUCTION OF ...

Unsatisfied with wasting ...
And holding still to ...
name.
The Swedish Huns, with ...
began
To blight with sword and ...
shot and flame
The things of beauty, ...
marked the span
Of years of peace—to ...
ing shame.

The monuments of peace ...
tered lie;
The glory of the ages ...
Where man, the mind to ...
beautify,
And God to praise, a ...
rears—
With war's destruction, ...
fly
The art and culture of ...
years.

O noble Rheims! Did ...
attain,
By tearing down the ...
victory?
By striking at the ...
to gain
A moral triumph o'er a ...
free?
Though ruined now, ...
remain,
And o'er their ... ...
Fleur-de-lys!

ARTHUR EDWARD ...
1636 East Fourth ...

TUESDAY MO...

TUNNEL STA...
EXPECTED

Second-Street Bore ...
Believed Va...

Attorney for City ...
Brief with Co...

Public Works Board ...
has Opposite V...

That the Court of Ap... the next thirty days will ... validity of the proce... mandamus the Board ... Works to execute the S... tunnel contract was pr... terday by Assistant Cit... Henry N. James, who ... one of the briefs in the ... will file his brief probably ... the end of this week.

The case is before the ... trict Court, the Board ... Works being represented ... ney Hartley Shaw and J... the contractor, being rep... Attorney Sam Haskins. ... received the contract, whi... nearly $1,000,000, but the ... not execute it and Mr. Has... proceedings to force imm... tion.

The attorney for the ... Public Works contends, a... things, that the city has ... to levy special assessm... benefited property for t... constructing a traffic tunn... admits that cities are g... to construct such tunnels ... terms of the Street Improv... of 1913, he contends tha... does not apply to the c... Angeles for the reason t... no amendment adopted in... city derives no power fr... eral law in a matter affect... municipal affairs.

THE CITY'S CONTEN...

Assistant City Attorn... contends, on the other h... the amendments to the C... clearly refer only to restri... limitations upon the p... chartered cities in respect ... municipal affairs and were ... for the purpose of making ... that chartered cities sha... restricted or limited in ... purely municipal affairs by ... eral laws of the State. These ... ments, it is contended, w... intended to, and do not ... terms, prevent cities acti... freeholders' charters from ... vantage of any powers ... upon cities generally by ... laws of the State. The c... the city of Los Angeles, ... confers upon the city all ... granted by general laws in ... to those powers, which are ... granted to it by the ch...

Mr. James states that M... contention is based upon ... contained in a decision ... handed down by the Supre... but gives as his opinion ... language used was not nece... the decision of the case, as ... the point involved was no...

CONTRACTOR'S VIE...

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PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Some things are still treasons.

And among them is tying up Uncle Sam's work.

There is occasion now—and will be—for the firing squad.

The newspapers do not look natural without the war maps.

It was the German fleet of battleships that was too cowed to fight.

There is nothing more contemptible in this life than plenty of old fish and a pair of old shoes.

What has become of the old-fashioned checker tournaments we used to be held in this town?

Wonder how the soldiers above are getting on overseas with the job of winding up the barbed wire?

It is possible that the delegates to the Peace Conference in Paris are quarreling about who shall sit by George Creel.

It is announced that the German grand fleet will soon pay a visit to the United States. Come on, Bill—who's afraid?

Pictures of Lenine and his wife are appearing in the papers. Judging from appearances no wonder he is out of few days and full of trouble.

Chief Atchee of the Ute Indian tribe is dead. Judging by the name he must have gone to the happy hunting ground by the flu route.

With the men from the front telling the stories of their wounds, there will be some soft pedaling on the part of the ladies who have a habit of insisting on telling about their operations.

A number of the breweries are preparing to turn over their plants to manufacturing enterprises. Now wouldn't they be just the place in which to issue Arthur Brisbane's newspapers?

Isn't it wonderful how patient we found a lot of unsweetened coffee when the sugar ban was on! It will be a surprise if, with the ban lifted, there is not a diminution of the craze of the sweetstuff.

What we need in this country much as anything else is a code to edit the inscriptions on tombstones. A visit to a cemetery brings out the query, wonder where all the hard-boiled folks are buried?

If the bars are put up against further immigration to this country it will help in this regard, but we shall have no Bolsheviki left to down the jobs of professors of political economy in American colleges.

If all of the European monarchs are coming to America to return the visit of President Wilson, it will be necessary for Congress to create a sort of Secretary of Entertainment. How would Hon. Jimham Lewis do?

The physicians of Los Angeles discovered one thing while treating the "flu," and that was that a man with a mustache seldom suffered so much from the disease. But isn't that usually a price to pay for wearing a mustache?

There need be no worry on the part of anybody because the League is to be "dry." It is not necessary to have whisky in the house. We know of several families that have been raised without it. And they are getting along fairly well.

Here is a pointer for whiskers: make no charge: The fact that General Pershing has been knighted by the English government will not affect in getting him the nomination for either party for President if he provided he wants it and makes the effort.

There has been a general revolution of school throughout the country and now that the ban has been lifted it is a question whether or not practical was accomplished by the order. There is a lot of "flu" that the physicians do not know, although the price for a visit remained the same.

They are still spending a lot of time and money paying expenses of departed statesmen in Washington. If a Senator or Representative dies thousands of copies of the eulogies are sent over the country, thus contributing to the paper shortage. We are mentioning no names but in some cases three cheers would be enough.

THE DESTRUCTION OF RHEIMS.

Unsatisfied with waxing war on men,
And holding still to honor's name,
The fiendish Huns, with cruel ken,
Began
To blight with sword and cannon-shot and flame
The things of beauty, that
marked the span
Of years of peace—to their undying shame.

The monuments of peace pow-
tered lie;
The glory of the ages disappears
Where man, the mind to raise
beautify.
And God to praise, a noble
rears—
With war's destruction, to
fly
The art and culture of a thousand
years.

O noble Rheims! Did they
attain,
By tearing down thy towers
victory?
By striking at the pride of
to gain
A moral triumph o'er a land
free?
Though ruined now, thy
remain,
And o'er thee e'er shall wave
Fleur-de-lys!

ARTHUR EDWARD COLLINS.
1636 East Fourth street.

TUNNEL START EXPECTED SOON.

Second-Street Bore Contract Believed Valid.

Attorney for City will File Brief with Court.

Public Works Board Counsel has Opposite View.

That the Court of Appeal within the next thirty days will sustain the validity of the proceedings and enjoin the Board of Public Works to execute the Second-street tunnel contract was predicted yesterday by Assistant City Attorney Percy N. James, who is preparing one of the briefs in the case. He will file his brief probably before the end of this week.

The case is before the Second District Court, the Board of Public Works being represented by Attorney Hartley Shaw and John Hayes, the contractor, being represented by Attorney Sam Haskins. Mr. Hayes received the contract, which involves nearly $1,000,000, but the board did not execute it and Mr. Hayes brought proceedings to force immediate action.

The attorney for the Board of Public Works contends, among other things, that the city has no power to, by special assessments upon owned property for the cost of constructing a traffic tunnel. While he admits that cities are given power to construct such tunnels under the terms of the Street Improvement Act of 1911, he contends that this act does not apply to the city of Los Angeles for the reason that under the amendment adopted in 1914, the city derives no power from a general law in a matter affecting purely municipal affairs.

THE CITY'S CONTENTION.

Assistant City Attorney James Ingram, on the other hand, that the amendments to the Constitution clearly refer only to restrictions and limitations upon the powers of chartered cities in respect to purely municipal affairs and were adopted for the purpose of making it clear that chartered cities shall not be restricted or limited in respect to purely municipal affairs by the general laws of the State. These amendments, it is contended, were never intended to, and do not by their terms, prevent cities acting under freeholders' charters from taking advantage of any powers conferred upon cities generally by general laws of the State. The charter of the city of Los Angeles, it is held, confers upon the city all powers granted by general laws in addition to those powers, which are expressly granted to it by the charter.

Mr. James states that Mr. Shaw's contention is based upon language quoted in a decision recently handed down by the Supreme Court, which he does as his opinion that the decision used was not necessary for the decision of the case, as the specific point involved was not raised.

CONTRACTOR'S VIEW.

James Robert Young and A. J. Bone, representing the contractor on the improvement, have filed a brief on behalf of their client, in which they contend that the city has the power to construct a tunnel under the Street Improvement Act of 1911, and that the proceedings taken in the improvement are free from irregularity.

The points made by the attorneys for the Board of Public Works are that the construction of a tunnel underneath the street is an additional servitude, which is not authorized by the dedication of Second street, and that a special dedication for the purpose of the construction of a tunnel is necessary, and that the notice of street work was not properly given.

Mrs. Carmelita Short.

PRETTY GIRL IS PLOT'S VICTIM?

(Continued from First Page.)

told the hospital attaches, her baby died. She does not remember much after that, she said, and could not explain how she came to Los Angeles. A letter found in her room led the police to believe that a search is being made for the woman by relatives.

With the arrest of the second man, believed to be the one most connected with the case, the police expect to clear up the mystery.

HAS NEW SUPPLY HOUSE.

Sun Drug Company Opens Important Adjunct to Business Here.

The opening of the new supply house of the Sun Drug Company at 927-929 South Los Angeles street, today, marks an important epoch in the growth of that large drug-dispensing institution. Its expansion since the company was reorganized with I. Eisner at its head, is regarded as one of the most gratifying evidences of good business conditions here.

In its present location, the supply house will wholesale all the stock used by the company's ten large retail stores. The wholesale rooms are fashioned along modern efficiency lines, to the extent that the former time required in meeting the requirements of the various stores can be cut 50 per cent., it is stated.

Office rooms occupy the front of the building. At the rear of the offices are the stock rooms for all sorts of pharmaceutical supplies and drug sundries. The lower floor accommodates the laboratories in which the many Sun drug products are manufactured. The wholesale stock has been moved to its new location from 200 North Los Angeles street.

HOTEL STOWELL IS TO OPERATE CAFE.

With a staff of experienced men in charge, the Hotel Stowell has just opened a cafe at No. 418 South Spring street, adjoining the hotel entrance. A. L. Murray, former manager of the cafe operated in connection with the Hotel Angelus, is in charge. Under recent changes made in the management of the Stowell, A. L. Wright assumes general supervision of the hotel and cafe, and J. McDonald takes over the house management.

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FEAR IS OUR ARCHENEMY.

So Says Woman Member of Christian Science Board in Lectures Here.

Mrs. Blanche K. Corby, a member of the board of lectureship of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, and the first resident of Los Angeles to be appointed to that board, has been delivering a series of lectures in Los Angeles and vicinity during the past month.

The lecture has been well received by large audiences wherever Mrs. Corby appeared. In part she spoke as follows:

Every thinking person is cognizant of things that exist; because of his belief in the existence of things, he believes that there is a first cause or creator. Christian Science proclaims that God is cause of all created things. It declares as omnipresence and omnipotence, the all-inclusive infinite one, or, as Mrs. Eddy so comprehensively states, the "adorable one," including all life, law, power, intelligence, and action. This all-inclusive omnipotence or the one presence is best understood as mind. The one omnipotent mind or one conscious being is expressed after its own kind, then all that expresses it must be mental because the activity of mind is thought. Everything is mental, whether upon a good or evil, a spiritual or material plane. All that we are conscious of today is the result of thought. If it were possible for thought to cease on earth today, complete inaction, which is death, would result. Every complaint of the body is expressed through thought. If man could not think he could not be conscious of bodily pain and discomfort; it is only as all things are resolved into thought, into mental conditions, that the mystery of evil disappears. All wrong thought with its discordant results can be corrected by right thinking, which can be continued only from the standpoint of changeless truth.

NOTHING MYSTERIOUS.

The first step toward freedom from evil is generally taken through the desire for physical healing. The healing method of Christian Science, the healing method used by Jesus, is unique, but there is no mystery, nothing supernatural about it. It is the simple teaching of Jesus, the spontaneous and natural result of better thinking. The physical healing in Christian Science is not for the purpose of making a man more comfortable in materiality, of enabling him to eat more food without discomfort, or to indulge more freely in appetites and passions, but the whole purpose of healing is to reveal the truth about life. It heals the sick to establish the fact of the reality of God or good, and it heals the sinner to prove the unreality of sin or evil. Christian Science does not teach that sickness and evil do not seem real to the human consciousness; but it teaches that the human consciousness is a false consciousness expressing itself according to its false beliefs in all the phenomena of evil and sickness, and that healing through a correction or overcoming is accomplished through the understanding of God and His law.

Throughout human history man has deified himself, he has created God in the image and likeness of a mortal instead of finding that he himself is the image and likeness of God. Because God has been believed to be a mighty man manifesting jealousy, anger, revenge, visiting his wrath upon his people; the belief that might is right has grown to the utmost. As the result, human history is a record of the cruelty of the human will. It is because of the deification of the mortal or material mind and its beliefs, that the statement is sometimes ignorantly made that the healing of Christian Science is wrought through suggestion—one mind controlling another human mind. In order to correct this accusation made against Jesus' healing works, he said, "If I by Beelzebub cast out devils, by whom do your children cast them out?" (Matt. xii:27,) showing that evil cannot correct evil. The human mind, unillumined, and uninstructed in spiritual law, cannot possibly understand spiritual healing, or the means by which it is accomplished; so it insists that it must be after its own method, the operation of the human will through hypnotism or what is popularly called modern psychology. Nothing could be further from the truth.

MUST THINK CORRECTLY.

The teacher of mathematics does not subject his pupil to a state of hypnosis in order to teach the science of numbers, but reveals to him the principle of mathematics, the truth about numbers. If each step in the solution of a problem were mentally imposed upon the more yielding thought of the child, he would not be trained to think for himself; on the contrary, he would be schooled in the habit of responding to suggestion from without. The pupil, to be alert and progressive, must be taught to think correctly, he must be free from the personal domination and control of the teacher. In like manner, the Christian Science practitioner knows that the human will must be divorced from every Christian Science treatment; indeed the human will could not give a Christian Science treatment. The practitioner's part in the healing work is to reveal to the patient the science, or truth of being, and this truth at work in the consciousness of the sufferer heals and saves. Evil, a fundamental quality of the human mind, believing as it does in both good and evil, cannot heal. It is wholly through the action and operation of spiritual law that the sick are healed. Christian Science treatment creates a desire to know and to do the will of God. It is regenerating in its influence. Mesmeric suggestion and hypnotism weaken the subject's ability to do what is right. His subjection to another mentality is in itself an evil. The reading of the Christian Science text-book "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," has cured thousands of sickness and sin; 100 pages of the book contain testimonials of healing through the reading alone. No measured suggestion was used by the book to accomplish such results, no human domination or control was exercised, but the revelation of truth contained in those pages opened the understanding and healing followed as a natural consequence.

ESCAPE FROM BONDAGE.

Fear is the arch-enemy of humanity, and many are those who are living under its constant pressure and know not how to escape from its bondage. Throughout all time man has bowed down to fear as to a false god, and is confronted by its suggestions in all the activities of human existence. Fear attends his advent into the world, and throughout his life he is educated to be afraid; afraid of the food he eats, the air he breathes, and of the wind that blows; he is afraid of his brother man, afraid of his own body, and afraid of God. Little wonder that he is sick and in trouble. Christian Science reveals that God's universe including man was created without fear, therefore fear is without hope and without God, and anything without God has no real existence, God being the only creator. The healing in Christian Science is not confined to physical healing alone, but may be applied throughout the whole range of human experience. It is indeed so intensely practical that it can be used in the routine of everyday life. Since God is the only cause or creator, all real law emanates from Him, and there is no peace or safety in living in disobedience to His law.

One of the greatest torments that beset mankind is the fear of lack. The law of infinite mind includes no provision for poverty and lack. Christian Science teaches that the amplitude of God is the sufficient supply of man enabling him to be fed and clothed and is the true substance which is changeless and imperishable. Jesus, the man of God, knew no lack nor limitation. He turned the water into wine when there seemed to be a lack at the marriage feast. He multiplied the loaves and the fishes when the multitudes believed there was no bread. He found gold in the fish's mouth when the disciples said there was no money for taxes. Throughout His whole career He constantly supplied the need of humanity, proving that God is a God of abundance.

MUST PRAY ARIGHT.

Prayer is supposed to have a place in the daily life of every consistent Christian, and is generally believed to be the means by which man communicates with God; Jesus attached so much importance to the right concept of prayer that he gave that greatest of all prayers, beginning, "Our Father, which art in heaven." Nowhere did Jesus, teaching as he did that he was not God, instruct his followers to pray to him; neither did he instruct them to appeal to any other personality, but without intercession, to approach God with loving confidence. How many good Christians have absolute confidence that prayer is always answered? The crying need of the world is to know how to pray aright, to pray the righteous prayer which availeth much. Science and Health contains a chapter on prayer which is accepted by Christian Scientists and acknowledged by many other advanced thinkers to be the greatest treatise on prayer ever written. In this chapter Mrs. Eddy says, "desire is prayer," then she clearly sets forth what the right desire and purpose of prayer must be; her exposition is in exact accord with the teachings of Jesus. Christian Science teaches that by constantly thinking the truth, we fulfil Jesus's command to pray constantly. Jesus instructing his disciples in prayer said, "What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them." Much of the prayer of the world has been uttered for material things or for the fulfillment of human desire and it is never answered. Jesus denounced such prayer, but the moment we know that God has given all good to man and that all good now and eternally is, that moment we begin to receive the benefits of prayer and experience its blessings.

Christian Scientists accept the teaching of the Bible from Genesis to Revelation and believe that the golden thread of truth running throughout unites all ages as the Christ is revealed. Science and Health has given an illumination to the scriptures that enables the student to comprehend their spiritual import. If the Bible is God's word to his people, then it is for us today to know and to understand it. No longer do Christian Scientists read the scriptures in a perfunctory manner, but it is their delight to read and study them daily.

FOR DEMOCRACY.

Little more than fifty years ago there was just one Christian Scientist on earth, the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, Mary Baker Eddy.

The experiences which led to this discovery are set forth in her book, "Retrospection and Introspection." In speaking of her own healing Mrs. Eddy tells us that the Bible was her only text-book. She also says of Jesus that he "was the most scientific man that ever trod the globe. He plunged beneath the material surface of things and found the spiritual cause." Because Mrs. Eddy "plunged beneath the material surface," she has revealed to this age the same available Christ, truth, which heals and saves. She proved a most consecrated follower of Christ Jesus and claimed nothing more for herself. The Christian Science Church, founded by Mrs. Eddy stands for pure democracy, the brotherhood of man, universal participation, growth, and culture, where each individual has his place in divine mind and cannot surp the place of another. The true understanding of God reveals the true brotherhood of man.

TRACE ALLEGED ROBBER.

Man Slain While Stealing had Union Cards as Shipbuilder.

Melvin Parsons, 21 years old, who was shot and fatally injured Sunday night when caught in the act of stealing an automobile, had been a shipbuilder at Tacoma, Wash., according to dispatches received yesterday from that city. He left Tacoma on January 15, stopping at San Francisco on his way here. His uncle, L. H. Parsons, lives in Tacoma.

When the body was searched at the Receiving Hospital membership cards in Tacoma unions were found, as well as $250 in Liberty Bonds and $132 in cash. Special Watchman Sam Baynes shot Parsons three times when he saw him trying to steal an automobile belonging to William Clifford, from in front of Clifford's house at 1755 El Cerito street, Hollywood. Baynes did not shoot until Parsons knocked him down, and was jumping on his hands, trying to compel the officer to drop the revolver.

Letters and memoranda found in the baggage of Page show that he was a ship caulker at the Tacoma shipyards prior to coming here, and that he was in Oakland on January 15. Saturday night he left his bags at the King Edward Hotel in this city and registered, but did not stay there for the night. Instead it is thought he spent the evening at Vernon.

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(Silks; Second Floor)

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40-inch Jacquard Foulards $4.50
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BABY IS KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

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He said he was driving east on College street, at a speed of not over twelve miles an hour, when the child ran in front of the car and was knocked down. Fitzgerald stopped the car, carried the child to the door of the hospital and put it in the arms of a nurse. He was not permitted to enter because of the influenza quarantine, so drove on to town and turned his report of the accident in to the traffic bureau at Central Station.

Anthony Wisniewski, manager of the Electric Dyeing and Cleaning Company, No. 830 Slauson avenue, witnessed the accident and told police detectives that Fitzgerald was driving faster than he himself says. Detective Lieutenant Chapman sent two men out to obtain a detailed statement.

The Stewarts are a young married couple, and Joe was their only child. The father, who has been in service as a sergeant in the Tank Corps, returned ten days ago from camp. He is a teller at the First National Bank.

LOCAL HOSPITAL UNIT COMING HOME SOON.

Word that Base Hospital Unit No. 35, which left Los Angeles for France last May, turned over its equipment to Evacuation Hospital No. 30, January 15, and is awaiting immediate transportation home, was received here yesterday. The hospital unit went overseas last July and was assigned to the big hospital center at Mars-sur-Allier, near Nevers. No definite information has been received as to whether or not the nurses will return at the same time. Some of the nurses have reenlisted and have been assigned to duty with the army of occupation, it is stated.

LAFAYETTE PARK NOW.

Council Unanimous for Changing Name from Sunset.

In honor of the French patriot who aided America in the Revolutionary War, the Council yesterday adopted an ordinance changing the name of Sunset Park to Lafayette Park.

There was no objection to the change and there were hundreds of persons who urged the Council to take the action.

AFTER INCENDIARIES.

District Attorney's Work Liked by Fire Prevention Bureau.

A letter from the Arson Committee of the Fire Prevention Bureau of the Pacific was received yesterday at the office of Dist.-Atty. Woolwine. In the letter A W. Thornton, chairman of the committee, expresses the appreciation of the bureau for the District Attorney's activity in the prosecution of "arson bugs."

Mr. Woolwine is on his way back from the East, where he went to plead a case in the United States Supreme Court. He is expected to arrive today.

HOME MUST BE SUITABLE

Appellate Court Rules Husband Has to Consider Wife's Tastes.

Judge Finlayson of the Appellate Court yesterday reversed Judge Monroe's order in the Bibb divorce action. Judge Monroe about a year ago granted Robert L. Bibb a divorce from Ila J. Bibb. Mr. Bibb, in a cross-complaint, had set up desertion.

Judge Finlayson held that there was no evidence that he offered Mrs. Bibb any particular abode in Hollywood. Unless he did, Mrs. Bibb could not know whether the place found was a reasonable place to live in. While it is the duty of the wife to follow her husband, this did not give him arbitrary power, Judge Finlayson held, as the husband must provide a suitable home.

This decision indicates a new trial of the case.

WILL LOOK UP PAY ROLL.

If Judge Wood finds from the pay roll of employers of William C. Nolan, machinist, that Nolan received the wages that his wife, Delpha Nolan, declared he did in alimony proceedings yesterday, Mr. Nolan will have to purge himself of contempt. He told the court yesterday he was not sure what he received for his work in November and December. The court continued the case one week to get the information.

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Business Page: Stocks, Bonds, Grain, Mines

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SILVER LINING SPREADS.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

Local bean dealers, as well as the more distant growers, are much elated at the news from Washington that this great California staple is to be placed upon the unrestricted export list. This means, it was asserted yesterday, that the enormous quantity of stored product will soon be released and begin moving towards its natural market, Europe.

When this movement really becomes effective it will mark the closing of an unhappy chapter. Because of war conditions, restrictions, price limitations and a working at cross purposes a large percentage of the great crop of 1918 has been in storage for weeks. The millions of dollars represented by the mountains of beans has been tied up; banks have been forced to carry the growers over the zero hour; there has been much uncertainty over the ultimate moving of the crop; foreign product has been given the right of way, and the whole bean situation has been stagnant, unsatisfactory and all but chaotic.

The opening of the foreign market to California beans, the elimination of the overlordship of the United States Grain Corporation, and the certainty that realization is about to come after the clouds is good news, not only to those immediately involved, but to all of Southern California as well, for it means the release of credits, the receipts of large sums of ready money, which will find its way speedily into circulation, and preparation for the new crop with a greater feeling of confidence than would have otherwise been possible. There has, so far, been no extensive orders placed as a result of the new condition, but the worst seems over and the dawn is visible.

In accordance with the unanimous opinions expressed in recent interviews given The Times by Los Angeles bankers that the new war loan must be made more attractive from an investment standpoint than any of its predecessors authorities all over the country are now recording themselves in the same way. New York financial reviews especially are devoting a lot of space to this question just now and they are all a unit in agreeing that the Los Angeles idea is the correct one, i. e., that the loan, to be successful, must be free from taxation and carry at least 4½ per cent. interest. It is becoming more and more probable that just this sort of a bond will be offered. The five-year feature, it is said, has been quite definitely determined upon, and while there seems to be considerable uncertainty in the East as to the total amount to be raised Director Franklin's statement when he was in Los Angeles a few weeks ago that the new loan would be for the same amount as the Fourth Liberty Loan ($6,000,000,000) would seem to be definite enough. The further statement that this will be the last time the loan organizations will be asked to serve in their money-raising capacity has also been misinterpreted to mean that no more war loans will be offered. The understanding of those who discussed the matter with the national director when here was that this would be the last time a great public drive for funds would be made, but it is quite inconceivable considering the rate at which the government is spending money, and the gigantic plans being laid for still further expenditures, as well as the hundreds of millions of dollars deficit in the operation of railroads, that other and heavy loans will not be required. In fact, it was intimated that the government would be required to borrow at least $11,000,000,000 over and above all moneys received from taxation to tide it over the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920. It is expected that these supplementary loans will be placed through the banks and other recognized channels without the appeal direct, but it looks as though the United States was going to be a borrower for some time to come.

While there has been a great deal of activity in new financing during January there is likely to be a gradual decline prior to the Victory Loan campaign. Many of the large corporations have anticipated their requirements, and maturing indebtedness during the next few months is unusually large. This, of course, must be provided for regardless of the campaign, but calls for fresh money will from now on be under a gradually expanding check until after the government requirements are made known.

The oil and gasoline situation is one of the most interesting which confronts us at the present time. During the war it was a hard and constant fight to keep up with the never-ending cry for "more," but some way we did keep pace with it, albeit at times we dug deeply into our storehouses. After the war, we told ourselves, we will lay a few gallons by for a rainy day, but this happy condition seems difficult of attainment for oil in all its varieties is being called upon to a greater extent than ever before. Its uses are being extended almost infinitely, and there must be an ever-increasing development if this demand is to be met.

But just now the problem is gasoline, and the suggestion that Los Angeles officially restore some of the "pep" that of yore put gusto into the sparker and made life a perpetual delight for even the possessor of a "crank car" is met by the refiners, who argue that while the production has kept up, much of the new development is of slight gas content so that the gasoline surplus has fallen behind the proportion of heavier grades of oil.

It was said that an attempt to provide Los Angeles with a higher grade of gasoline than is manufactured for other places will necessitate special processes and higher price, and the objectors claim that it is better to turn out enough of a product that will "do" rather than make every consumer short on high-test gas.

The stock market had plenty of "kick" in it yesterday, and the promise of the close on Saturday was amply fulfilled in a gratifying spread of buying at prices which were steady enough to indicate the probability of having, in many instances, struck bottom and to be poised for fresh upturns. Oils were stronger, General Petroleum selling up to 142 or 4.75 above Saturday's trading point. At the close the stock was offered at 143. Union Oil also showed a healthy gain and sold at 118 top, closing strong at that figure bid, 118,12½ asked. There was a decided movement in the less important stocks at prices sympathetically in accord with the upward trend of the leaders. Thirty thousand shares of National Pacific were dealt in starting at 4¼ cents and closing at 5¾ cents. Associated was up to 74; United Oil, 27, and other offerings at rising prices. On the mining side Tom Reed showed a decline over Saturday, the best price obtained for this stock during the trading being 1.76. The close was weak at 1.72 bid. Big Jim Consolidated continued active. Richmond Copper sold at 32; Midway Northern up to 35; Black Hawk Tungsten, 65; California Packing, common, $2.00; Los Angeles Investment, 43; Southern California Edison, $5.00; Yellow Pine, 1.13. There was no change in status or price of Liberty Bonds, except that fewer of them are being offered for sale than formerly.

There has been considerable interest in the marketing of the $250,000 issue of Merced county 5 per cent, highway bonds, Federal income and State tax exempt. These are the first of this character to be offered from that county, but, priced to yield 4.50 per cent, they are finding ready sale according to a Los Angeles member of the selling syndicate, R. H. Moulton & Co.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Although sentiment in the financial district over the week-end denoted a moderate accession of optimism, which found its chief expression in the market letters of brokerage houses, today's session of the stock exchange was apathetic and uninteresting.

Pools furnished almost the sole initiative, again limiting their operations to shares of speculative character, while rails and standard industrials were extremely dull or reactionary.

Motor shares were most conspicuous as a group, the movement in that quarter doubtless being facilitated by the automobile exhibitions now in progress here, these being accomplished by more hopeful trade conditions. Gains among motors ran from 1 to 2½ points, Studebaker alone lagging.

Traction and gas shares were appreciably higher, probably as a result of the improved prospects for Brooklyn Transit, and pools were once more active in tobacco, sugar and paper issues.

Pressure was persistently exerted against oils and several of the marine stocks until the last hour, when the general list strengthened under the impetus of an inquiry for United States Steel, which closed at a large fractional gain.

The one specific incident of the day was the cut in International Nickel from $1 to 50 cents quarterly, despite which Nickel closed at a net gain of 1 point. Sales amounted to 290,000 shares.

Foreign war flotations strengthened the bond list, material advances being registered by French municipals and United Kingdom issues, while the Liberty group eased slightly with speculative rails. Total sales, par value, aggregated $10,150,000. Old United States coupon 4's lost 1-8 per cent. on call.

Final prices on Liberty Bonds today were: 3½'s, 99.06; first convertible 4's, 92.02; second 4's, 92.90; first convertible 4¼'s, 95.50; second convertible 4¼'s, 94.48; third 4¼'s, 95.44; fourth 4¼'s, 94.40.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 4, 1919.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,719,086.54, an increase of $676,222.25, as compared with corresponding day last year.

	1919.	1918.	1917.
Monday	$5,719,086.54	$5,042,813.29	$5,572,949.29

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Following were the closing prices and sales, as posted yesterday at the Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Citizens' National Bank	$240.00	$255.00
Commercial National		200.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.		320.00
First National	625.00	650.00
Guaranty Tr. & Sav.	220.00	
Hibernian Savings Bank	150.00	
Merchants' National		210.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank		555.00
Union Bank & Trust Co.	122.50	135.00
U. S. National Bank	155.00	200.00

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	90	
Associated Oil Co.	96½	98½
California Delta Farms		105
Chanslor-Canfield Mid. Oil Co.	97	
Edison Elec. Co., 1st R.	99½	
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	96½	
Home Telephone Co.	90½	92
Home Tel. Co., 1st Mtg.		97
Home Tel. Co., Ind. Con.	85	101
L. A. Electric Co.	92½	
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	87½	
L. A. Pac. Ind. Con. Mtge.	84	
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	86½	90
L. A. Railway Co.	85½	90
L. A. R. R. Corp. 5s	76	
Natomas Co. of California	75	
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	77¼	81
Pacific Light & Power Co.	93	
Pacific L. & P. Gtd.	90	95
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	92	
Pred. Transportation Co.	97½	100
S. Monica Bay H. T. Co.	40	
Union Oil Co.	92½	93½
Union Transportation Co.	80½	
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	87½	88½
Visalia Water Co.	98	

LIBERTY BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
1st Liberty Loan 3½s, 1917	98½	
1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4s, 1917	92½	
1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918	93	
2nd Liberty Loan 4s, 1917	92½	
2nd Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918	94	
3rd Liberty Loan 4½s, 1918	95	
4th Liberty Loan 4¼s	94½	94¾

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Delta Farms	$ 49.50	$ 50.50
California Packing Corp. com.	52.00	52.25
Consolidated Rubber Co.	52.00	60.00
Eldorado State Co. pfd.	94	96
Eldorado State Co. com.	3½	
Hercules Powder Co.	85.00	91.00
L. A. Investment Co.	42½	
Occidental Life Ins. Co.		125.00
Pacific National Life Ins. Co.	490.00	500.00
S. Joaquin L. & P. Corp. pfd.	67.50	75.00
S. Joaquin L. & P. Corp. com	5.00	5.50
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	90.00	197.50
So. Cal. Edison com.	85.50	87.00
Sun Dial Co.	45	
Title G. & Tr. Co. pfd.	200.00	250.00
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	200.00
Union Sugar Co.	50.50	

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 50.00	$ 51.00
American Crude Oil	15	16
Associated Oil	73.50	74.25
Brookshire Oil	.06	
Chanslor-Canfield	.93	
Columbia	1.14	
Continental Oil	.10	.11
Enos Oil Co.	.04½	.05
Fullerton Oil	3.00	
General Petroleum com.	142.00	143.00
Globe	.02	.03
Jade Oil Co.	.02½	.10
Kern Oil Co.	1.17	1.18
Midway Northern	.32	.34
Mt. Diablo O. M. & D. Co.	1.00	1.05
National Acme Oil Co.	.05	.05½
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.23	.25
Occidental Oil Co. (Oil)	.25	.50
Premier Oil Co.	32½	
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.30	
Thirsty Oil Co.	.60	
Union	118.00	118.12½
United Oil Co.	25½	.27
West Coast Oil pfd.	65.00	
Western Union	130.00	
White Star Oil Co.	.02	.10

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adams Mining Co.	.02½	.03½
Arizona Tom Reed	.05	
Argo Mines	.05½	.06
Big Jim Con. Mining	.07½	
Black Hawk Tungsten	.65	.70
Bullion Con.	.01	.02
Calumet Mines	.07½	.10
Gold Dust	.07½	
Gold Ore Mining Co.	.01½	.03½
Gold Reed Bonanza	.01	.02
Lucky Boy	.03½	
Malta Mining	.04	.05
Manzanilla Mining	.05	.05½
Tom Reed	1.72	1.75
Yellow Pine	1.12	1.13
Other Districts—		
B. Hawk Tungsten M. Corp.	.25	
Cal. Gold Mining Co.	.20	.30
Hecla Mining Co.	4.00	
Inter-Portland Co.	.06	.20
Natomas Co. of Cal. pfd.	.15	.50
Oro Amigo		.04
Richmond Mining & Milling	.32	
Yellow Pine	1.12	

SALES.

Morning session: 10 Associated Oil 74.00; 500 Black Hawk Tungsten .70; 10 General Petroleum at 138.50; 10 do. at 139.50; 5 do. at 142.00; 17,500 Big Jim Con. Mining at .06½; 2000 do. at .06¾; 2000 Loma Linda Mining at .03; $100 2nd Liberty Loan 4s, 1917, at 92¼; $ 250 do. at 92½; 18 $100 2nd Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918, at 94; 1 $50 do. at 94; 16 $100 do. at 94; $1000 Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 95; $ 250 do. at 95; $7 $100 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 94½; 4 $100 do. at 94½; 1 $1000 do. at 94½; 2 $500 do. at 94½; 1 $1000 Midway Northern, 8s, 1000 do. at .33; 1000 National Pacific Oil at .05½; 2500 do. at .06½; 2500 do. at .06¾; 200 Richmond Copper Co. at .32½; 1000 Sunnyside Mining at .05½; 5 do. Cal. Edison com. at 85.00; 100 Tom Reed at 1.72½; 100 do. at 1.73; 140 Union Oil at 118.00; 200 Yellow Pine at 1.13.

Informal: 6 $100 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s at 94; 2 $500 do. at 94; 1 $1000 Union Oil bond at 96¾.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Closing bid.
100	Alaska	3½	3½	3½
500	Alaska Juneau	2	1¾	1¾
	Atlantic Coast Line			98
500	Atlantic Gulf & W. I.	97	97	97½
	Allis Chalmers			31¼
100	Allis Chalmers pfd.	54	54	54
200	Alloy Steel	33½	33½	33½
1,500	Am. Agr. Chemical	100¾	100¼	100¾
	Am. Agr. Chem. pfd.			107½
500	Am. Car & Fdy. Co.	85½	85½	85½
	Am. Car & Fdy. pfd.			116
1,200	Am. Can Co.	47	46½	46¾
	Am. Can Co. pfd.			102½
500	Am. Beet Sugar	60	59¾	59¾
	Am. Beet Sugar pfd.			85
1,500	Am. Cotton Oil	42¾	42	42
200	Am. Cotton Oil pfd.			87
100	Am. Ice Securities	47½	47½	47½
2,700	Am. Drug Syndicate	12¾	12	12½
8,500	Am. Hide & Leather	18	17	17½
5,200	Am. Hide & L. pfd.	89	87½	88
6,700	Am. Linseed	49¼	47¼	48¾
100	Am. Linseed pfd.	89	89	89½
	Am. Locomotive			58¾
400	Am. Steel Foundry	74½	74½	74½
20,000	Am. Smelt. & Ref. Co.	71¾	70¾	71¾
100	Am. Smelt. & R. pfd.	106¼	106	106¼
100	Am. Sugar			113¾
	Am. Sugar pfd.			110½
500	Am. Sumatra Tobacco	100	99¼	99½
	Am. Tel. & Tel.			107¾
2,300	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	100¼	99¼	99¾
	Am. Tobacco Co.			104
	Am. Tobacco pfd.			101½
	Am. Woolen			45¾
	Am. Woolen pfd.			94¾
	Am. Zinc & Lead			11
	Am. Zinc & Lead pfd.			74
200	Associated Oil			72
2,000	Anaconda	39½	38¾	39¼
500	A. T. & Santa Fe	90½	90	90½
200	A. T. & S. F. pfd.	97	96¼	96½
2,500	Baldwin Locomotive	67¾	66¼	67¼
	Baldwin Loco. pfd.			107½
2,600	Baltimore & Ohio	45½	44½	45
100	Balt. & Ohio pfd.	54½	54½	54½
1,000	Beth. Steel "B"	59¼	58¾	59¼
	Beth. Steel Sr pfd.			101
200	Butte & Superior Cop.	18	18	17¾
5,200	Brooklyn Rapid Transit	21¾	20¾	20¾
100	Cal. Packing	51½	51½	51½
1,500	Cal. Petroleum Co.	23¾	22¾	23¼
200	Cal. Petroleum pfd.	68¾	68¾	69
	Canadian Pacific			137
300	Chino	23½	23½	23½
100	Chesapeake & Ohio	55	55	55
100	Central Leather			97½
	Central Leather pfd.			100¼
	Centr. of N. J.			207
2,600	Chandler Motors	115¾	113¾	115¾
	Chicago & Alton			17
	Chicago & Alton pfd.			37
1,500	Chile Copper	19	17¾	18
	C. & G. W.			7¾
	C. & G. W. pfd.			25
	C. & N. W.			101
	C. & N. W. pfd.			131
800	C. M. & St. Paul	37	35½	36¼
400	C. M. & St. Paul pfd.	72½	71	71¾
	C. C. C. & St. L.			65¾
500	Colo. Fuel & Iron	35½	35	35
400	Columbia Gas	40½	40½	40¾
1,700	Consolidated Gas	95¾	94¾	94¾
2,600	Corn Products	47¾	46¾	47¾
100	Corn Products pfd.	103½	103¼	102¾
800	Crucible Steel com.	53½	53	53¼
	Crucible Steel pfd.			90
4,500	Cuba Cane Sugar	26	25¼	25¾
1,700	Cuba Cane Sugar pfd.	77	76	76½
500	Delaware & Hudson	103½	102½	103
1,300	Dome Mines	11	10¾	10¾
	D. L. & W.			135
200	D. & R. G. pfd.	61¾	61¾	61¾
800	Distilling Securities	54½	53¾	54¼
	Duluth S. S. & A.			8
	D. S. S. & A. pfd.			8
1,500	Erie	16	15¾	15¾
300	Erie 1st pfd.	25½	25¼	25¼
700	Erie 2nd pfd.	18¾	18¼	18¾
2,000	General Electric	147¾	144¾	145¾
7,300	General Motors com.	130	126	130
1,000	General Motors pfd.	83½	83	83¼
700	Goodrich Rubber Co.	70	69¾	70
100	Goodrich Rubber pfd.	103	103	103½
900	Great Northern pfd.	91¾	91	91¾
500	Greene Cananea	45¾	45¼	45¼
6,400	Great No. Ore Ctfs.	28¾	27¾	28¾
300	Gaskill Copper	74	73¾	74
400	Gulf States Steel	53	52	52
	Do. 1st pfd.			94
	Haskell Barker			111½
200	Illinois Central			99½
8,600	Interboro Copper	44¾	42¾	44¾
200	Industrial Alcohol	103¾	102¾	103¾
	Ind. Alcohol pfd.			109
1,000	Int'l Nickel	26	24½	25¾
	Int'l Nickel pfd.			97
3,600	Int'l Paper	26¾	24	26¼
	Int'l Paper pfd.			75
500	Inter-Met. Coms. Co.	8	8	8¼
	Inter-Met. Coms. pfd.			13½
1,900	Kennecott	21¾	21¾	21¾
3,700	Int'l Marine pfd.	97½	96	96¾
1,000	Kelly-Springfield	70¾	70¼	70
	Kelly-Spring. pfd.			97
100	Kansas City Southern			17
	K. C. Southern pfd.			31
200	Kenneott Copper	32¾	32¼	32¾
200	Lackawanna Steel	60	60	60¼
	Louisville & Nashville			119¾
	Laclede Gas com.			90½
150	Lee Tires	29½	29½	29½
500	Lehigh Valley	50¾	50¼	50¾
400	Loose Wiles 1st Co.	44¼	44¼	44
	Loose Wiles 2d pfd.			94
	Mackay			84
	Mackay pfd.			94
2,000	Maxwell Motors	21¼	20¼	21¼
800	Do. 1st pfd.	54	50	53¾
800	Do. 2nd pfd.	28	27¾	28
22,800	Mex. Petroleum	106¾	104¾	106¼
	Mex. Petroleum pfd.			100
400	Miami Copper Co.	29¾	29¾	29¾
3,800	Midvale Steel	47¾	47¼	47¾
300	Missouri, Kansas & Tex	8	8	8¼
300	M. K. & T. pfd.			24
300	Missouri Pacific	30¾	29¾	30¾
900	Missouri Pacific pfd.	62	60¾	61
600	National Lead	69¾	67¾	68¾
	Nat'l Biscuit			110
	Nat'l Biscuit pfd.			119
	Nat'l Enamel			80
	Nat'l Enamel pfd.			101
400	Nevada Con.	17	16¾	16¾
1,500	N. Y. Air Brake	93¾	91¾	91¾
800	N. Y. Central			91¾
	N. Y. Ont. & W.			49
	Norfolk & W.			109
	Northern Pacific	89¾	89¼	89¾
16,200	Ohio City Gas	97¾	97¾	97¾
1,000	Ontario Silver	1¼	1¼	1¼
	Pacific Mail			39
4,000	Pan-American pfd.	66	65	66
100	Pan-American pfd.	117	117	116
1,100	Penn. R. R. Co.	44¾	44¼	44¼
1,000	Pressed Steel Car	45¾	45	45¼
400	Pittsburgh Coal	45½	45	44¾
	Pittsburgh Coal pfd.			97
100	Pressed Steel Car	63¾	63¼	62¾
160	Pullman Co.			110
	Ray Consolidated			20¾
	Rr. Steel Springs Co.			57½
	Rr. Steel Springs pfd.			100
700	Reading	78¾	78¼	78¼
100	Reading 1st pfd.			87½
100	Reading 2nd pfd.			87½
600	Republic I. & S.	72¾	72¼	72¼
	Republic I. & S. pfd.			97
100	Rock Island	22¾	22¾	22¾
	Rock Island 7%			75
	Rock Island 6%			64
200	Royal Dutch	97¾	97¾	97¾
100	Ramsey com.	23¾	23¾	23¾
100	Ramsey pfd.	80¾	80¾	80¾
	Sinclair Oil Ref.			34
	Southern Pacific			96½
100	Sears-Roebuck Co.	173¾	172¾	173¾
	Sears-Roebuck pfd.			105
200	Shattuck Arizona	25¾	25¾	25¾
200	Shattuck Copper	11¾	11¾	11¾
100	St. L. & S. F.	7	7	7
	St. L. & S. F. pfd.			19
4,800	Saxon Motors	11	9¾	10¾
1,100	Southern Pacific	96¾	96¼	96¼
100	Southern Railway	30¾	30¼	30¼
100	Southern Railway pfd.	81	80¾	80¾
18,500	Studebaker Corp.	81¼	80¾	81¼
	Studebaker Corp. pfd.			97
	Stromberg Carburetor			57
3,000	Texas Oil	139¾	137¾	138¾
4,200	Texas Pacific	19¾	19¼	19¾
4,400	Tobacco Products	77¾	76¾	77
	Tobacco Products pfd.			91
	Transcontinental Oil			2
	Twin City R. T.			90
	Twin City R. T. pfd.			97
	Union Pac. & R. Co.			137
5,200	Union Pacific	137	135¾	136¾
	Union Pacific pfd.			93
1,500	Utah Copper	99¾	99¼	99¾
	Utah Securities			20
200	United Cigar S. com.	119	111¾	112
	United Cigar S. pfd.			110
100	United Fruit	101	101	101
	United R. R. & E.			3
800	U. S. Rubber	78¾	77¾	78¼
	U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.			107
	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe			44
	U. S. Express			44
	U. S. Industrial Alcohol			97
20,400	U. S. Steel Cor.	90¾	89¾	90¾
100	U. S. Steel Cor. pfd.	113¾	113¾	114
200	U. S. Smelting	48	47¾	48¼
	U. S. Smelting pfd.			86
400	Utah-Cor. Chemical Co.	83½	82¾	83¼
100	Wabash	21¾	21¾	21¾
	Wabash "A"			41
	Wabash pfd.			71
	Western Union	104	104	104
100	Westinghouse	41¾	41	41
	Do. 1st pfd.			90
100	Western Md. com.	20¾	19¾	19¾
	White Motor			104
2,700	Willys Overland	25¾	24¾	25¼
	Willys Overland pfd.			94
	Woolworth Co.			134
	Woolworth Co. pfd.			116
1,000	Westvaco Chem.	127	127	126
	Woolworth pfd.			116½
	Bell Telephone			114
	Bell Telephone pfd.			107
	Pond Creek Coal			20
	Pierce Oil	17¾	17¼	17¼
500	Union Oil	29¾	27¾	27¾
	Corn de Bay			30
	Oklahoma Producers	81	81	81
48,100	Liberty 3½s	99.06	98.96	99.00
22,700	Liberty 1st 4s	92.04	92.00	92.02
22,700	Liberty 2nd 4s	92.94	92.90	92.90
30,700	Liberty 1st 4¼s	95.50	95.50	95.50
30,700	Liberty 2nd 4¼s	94.50	94.46	94.48
174,900	Liberty 3rd 4¼s	95.46	95.42	95.44
115,000	Liberty 4th 4¼s	94.40	94.40	94.40

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Total sales of stocks—290,200 shares.
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17,000 STATE OF CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY 4s. $5,000, July 3, 1946—$12,000, July 3, 1953.	4¾
8,000 ANDERSON UNION HIGH SCHOOL DIST. 5s. Maturities, various, 1927 to 1936.	4.75
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Gross Earnings, year ending November 30, 1918	$8,608,979.88
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COVERING BY SHORTS BOOSTS CORN PRICES.

UNDERTONE DEVELOPS IN OATS FUTURES. MARKET CLOSES FIRM.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—A stronger undertone developed in the grains with more news favoring bulls while the shorts were the best buyers. Prices at one time were so low as Saturday's finish, while the close was at about the best of the day. Gains of 2¾ to 3¾c on corn and 1½ to 2c on oats to-day more than offset the setbacks in the other markets closed 2¾@3c net higher, with provisions 1@1½c to the good. Oats in Minneapolis gained 2 to 2¾ cents and in Winnipeg 1½ cents. Trading in the latter market were on a small scale, however. Rye finished ¾ cent higher, while flaxseed in Minneapolis closed 2 cents higher.

Activity in corn has changed to some extent, the principal opposition on the part of commission houses, which sold eastern shorts to cover due to reports of a better demand for cash corn. The finish was at the top with prices for the day as follows: March $1.26, May $1.27¾ and July $1.28¾.

Reports from eastern connections were conflicting at times and while there was some realizing by the same interests they bought much on the setbacks and were instrumental in the recovery. The undertone throughout was better than for several weeks. Some of the shorts were influenced by the action of the market in covering by some of the largest of the commission houses sharply, closing at a range of 1¾ to 2 cents. February corn closed 97¾, March 88¾, May 88¾ and July 88¾.

Range of prices: Corn, No. 2 yellow, 1.26; high, 1.28¾; low, 1.26; close, 1.28¾@1.28¾; March, 1.26; high, 1.28¾; low, 1.25¾; close, 1.28@1.28¼; May, 1.23; high, 1.24½; low, 1.21½; close, 1.24@1.24¼; July, 1.21; high, 1.21½; low, 1.18¾; close, 1.21@1.21¼; September, 1.14½; high, 1.16¾; low, 1.14½; close, 1.16@1.16¾.

Oats, No. 2 white, 56½; high, 58; low, 56; close, 58@58½; March, open, 56½; high, 58; low, 56; close, 58¼@58½; May, open, 55¾; high, 57½; low, 55¾; close, 57½@57¾; July, 55¾; high, 56¾; low, 55¾; close, 56¾@56¾; September, 53¾; high, 54¾; low, 53¾; close, 54¾@54¾.

Barley, 1.30@1.40.

Flaxseed, No. 1, 3.04.

Timothy, 5.50@6.00.

Clover, 21.00@24.00.

Pork, nominal.

Lard, 24.75@24.87.

Ribs, 19.50@20.00.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

	Cartels	
	Bid.	Asked.
	$2.70	
		34.00
	44.00	50.00
		48.00
		48.00
		50.00
Kellogg, via S. Fed.	54.00	
		2.72½
		2.75½
	2.67¼	2.71¾
	2.80	3.10
		2.75½
		2.82½
		2.85
	2.65	2.67½
	2.65	2.65
		2.90
	2.60	
	2.10	
	1.90	
	1.65	
	1.60	2.05½

CHICAGO QUOTATIONS FOR STOCKS, BONDS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 3.—After some heaviness in the early trading, the local security market responded to the rise under the leadership of the Swift issues and transactions amounted to about 1,000,000 shares. Swift was up 2 points at the top and closed with a net gain of ¾ point. Armour of Illinois preferred gained 2 points, while Libby, McNeill & Libby, Cudahy Packing Co. and Peavey Grain Co. ¼ point each, and Sears-Roebuck ½ point.

	Close	
	Bid.	Asked.
Allis-Chalmers	30	31
Amer. Can.	109½	109¾
Amer. Radiator	185	190
Amer. Shipbuilding	84	85
Amer. Steel Foundries	74	75
Amer. Sugar	118½	119
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	113¾	114
Amer. Tobacco	172	174
Armour of Ill. pfd.	97	98
Atchison	97½	97¾
Baldwin Loco.	109½	110
Baltimore & Ohio	47¾	48
Beth. Steel "B"	84½	85
Canadian Pacific	134½	135
Central Leather	104	104½
Chesapeake & Ohio	61¾	62
Chicago & Alton	11	11½
Chicago Great Western	11	11½
Chicago Great Western pfd.	21	22
Chicago Mil. & St. P.	54¾	55
Chicago & N. W.	97	97½
Chicago, R. I. & P.	21¾	22
Chicago, R. I. & P. pfd.	47½	48
Chicago Pneumatic Tool	57	58
Colorado Fuel & Iron	34	34½
Crucible Steel	72	73
Cuba Cane Sugar	25	25½
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd.	92	93
Cuba Cane Sugar rights	1½	1¾
Distillers' Securities	39	39½
Erie	17	17½
Erie 1st pfd.	29½	30
Erie 2d pfd.	23	23½
General Electric	150	151
General Motors	104½	105
Goodrich, B. F.	58	58½
Great Northern pfd.	97	97½
Great Northern Ore ctfs.	39½	40
Gulf States Steel	72	73
Illinois Central	109½	110
Inspiration Copper	57½	58
Int. Harvester	118	118½
Int. Harvester pfd.	113½	114
Int. Mercantile Marine	34½	35
Int. Mercantile Marine pfd.	108	109
Int. Nickel	25	25½
Int. Paper	54	54½
Kansas City Southern	31	31½
Kansas City Southern pfd.	56	57
Kennecott Copper	34½	35
Lackawanna Steel	84	84½
Lehigh Valley	72	72½
Louisville & Nashville	131	131½
Maxwell Motor	58	58½
Maxwell Motor 1st pfd.	87	88
Maxwell Motor 2d pfd.	57	58
Mexican Petroleum	175	176
Miami Copper	34	34½
Midvale Steel	46	46½
Missouri Pacific	27½	28
Missouri Pacific pfd.	54	55
National Lead	90	91
New York Central	89½	90
New York, N. H. & H.	36	36½
Norfolk & Western	107	107½
Northern Pacific	86	86½
Pacific Mail	39	39½
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	99	100
Pennsylvania	47½	48
Pittsburgh Coal	70	70½
Pittsburgh Coal pfd.	97	98
Pressed Steel Car	70	71
Ray Consolidated	24	24½
Reading	84½	85
Republic Iron & Steel	80	80½
Republic Iron & Steel pfd.	104	105
Sinclair Oil & Refining	34	34½
Southern Pacific	97½	98
Southern Railway	29	29½
Southern Railway pfd.	70	71
Studebaker Corp.	70	70½
Tennessee Copper	28	28½
Texas Company	150	151
Third Avenue	30	31
Union Pacific	131½	132
Union Pacific pfd.	84	84½
United Fruit	130	131
United States Industrial Alcohol	70	71
United States Rubber	72	73
United States Rubber 1st pfd.	104	105
United States Steel	109½	110
United States Steel pfd.	119½	120
Utah Copper	85	85½
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	46	47
Virginia-Carolina Chemical pfd.	97	98
Wabash	19	19½
Wabash pfd. "A"	45	46
Western Maryland	39	39½
Western Union	97½	98
Westinghouse Electric	43½	44
Willys-Overland	11½	11¾
Woolworth, F. W.	115	116
Worthington Pump	70	71
Worthington Pump pfd.	90	91

STOCK PRICES AT SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Oil stocks: California Ada Co., 30 bid; Carbon, 1.80 bid; Globe, 2.50 bid; Green Monster, 15 bid; Jade, 21 asked; Mascot, 1.10 bid; Monarch, 15 bid; St. J. and M. and Petroleum, 21 asked; National Pacific, 11 bid; Pyramid, 4 bid; Reed, 1.50 bid; Reserve, 1.40 bid; Palmer Union preferred, 1.75 bid; Rex, 1.90 bid; Serles 25, 14.00 bid; Shasta Coal Co. 23 bid, 25 asked; West Shore, 60.00.

GOOD NEWS STEADIES COTTON AT NEW YORK.

FAVORABLE NEW ENGLAND LABOR REPORTS STRENGTHEN MARKET.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—New England advices indicating that most manufacturers had granted the demand for a forty-eight-hour week and that there was no danger of any general labor disturbance except for the possibility of a strike at Lawrence, where workers were insisting upon the forty-eight-hour week with fifty-four hours' pay, made a favorable impression on sentiment in the cotton market here today.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close
March	28.16	28.02	28.04	28.12
May	22.80	21.82	22.74	21.85
July	21.95	21.00	21.91	20.98
October	20.24	19.55	20.06	19.23
December	20.08	19.52	20.05	19.10
New Orleans—				
March	24.85	23.75	24.85	23.47
May	22.97	22.10	22.97	21.87
July	22.00	21.25	22.00	21.07
October	20.08	19.45	20.06	19.04

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 3. — Cotton futures opened steady 5@30 points net decline; spots were unchanged. Sales, 1000 bales. American middling fair, 18.24d; good middling, 17.68d; middling, 17.05d; low middling, 15.94d; good ordinary, 14.94d; ordinary, 13.99d.

RANGE OF STOCK PRICES IN BOSTON.

[Furnished by A. H. Crary & Co., No. 119 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close			Close	
	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ahmeek	69¾	70	Majestic	24	25
Adventure	75	85	Mer. Metals	24	25
Allouez	42¾	43¾	Miami	22½	23
Am. Pneu.	1	1¼	Michigan	1	1¼
Do. pfd.	5	6	Denbigh	37	39
Am. Zinc	11	12	Mex. Dev.	45	47
Do. pfd.	39½	40½	Mohawk	61	61¾
Arcadian	1¾	1¾	Mohawk Old Colony	23	27½
Ariz. Com.	11¾	11¾	Nev. Con.	17¾	17¾
Ariz. Copper	1	1¼	Nipissing	8¾	8¾
Beacon	2	2¼	Nixon	40	41
Bingham	8¾	8¾	N. Butte	10	10¼
B. Hawk	39	40	New Dome	17	19
Boston	29	30	New Idria	4¾	5
Bohemia	75	85	New Cornelia	15¾	15¾
Butte & Bal.	29	30	New River	10	12
Butte & D.	17	18	Do. pfd.	50	55
Butte & L.	11	12	No. Lake	2¾	3
Butte & N.	1¾	2	Ohio	60	70
Butte & Sup.	29	30	Old Dom.	50	55
Calumet & Ariz.	67	68	Osceola	105	110
Calumet & Hecla	525	530	Old Colony	10	15
Calumet & Corp.	21¼	21¾	Pond Creek	13½	13¾
Canada	1	1¼	Quincy	72	73
Centennial	12¾	13¼	Ref. Cons.	1¾	2
Chief Cons.	1	1¼	Ray Hero.	2	2¼
Cons. Ariz.	1¾	1¾	Walker	2	2¼
C. C. Mines	2	2¼	Shannon	9¾	10
Copper Pk.	42	43	Shattuck	27½	28
Cons. Mer.	6¾	6¾	Stewart	25	25½
Daly West	20	21	Superior	45	45½
Davis Daly	2	2¼	Superior & Pitts.	7	7¼
Dom. Oil	2	2¼	Tamarack	70	75
Elm River	2	2¼	Trinity	8	8¼
Emerald	1	1¼	Tuolumne	1¾	1¾
Ely Con.	19	19½	Utah Apex	5	5¼
Eureka	2	2¼	Utah Con.	12	12¼
Franklin	8	8¼	Utah Metals	1¾	1¾
Gadsden	1¾	1¾	U. S. Mine	1	1¼
Gen. Chem.	45	46	Do. pfd.	45¼	46
Gen. M. & M.	45	46	Victoria	3¼	3¾
Granby	32	32½	Winona	1¼	1¾
Greene Can.	43	44¼	Wolverine	54	55
Gold Coin	1¾	2	Wyandotte	25	30
Gold Hill	2	2¼	Wright Mar.	1¾	1¾
Hancock	2¾	3	Wright Hud.	1¾	1¾
Helvetia	2	2¼	Yukon Gold	1¾	1¾
Hollinger	1¾	1¾	Zinke	2	2¼
Id. Creek	43	45			
Do. new	43	45			
Indiana	50	55			
Iron Cap	14½	15			
Isle Royale	30	31			
Jerome	1¾	1¾			
Kerr Lake	6¾	7			
La Salle	1	1¼			
Lake Cop.	20	21			
La Rose	80	90			
Mason Val.	9¾	9¾			
Mass. Con.	8¾	8¾			
Mass. Gas.	82	83½			

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close			Close	
	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Tobacco—			Mining—		
Am. Cigar	92	95	Big Ledge	13-16	⅞
Cuban Am.	7	8	Butte Ext.	¼	½
Cherokee	145	160	Col. & T.	¼	½
Conley Ann.	11	13	Caledonia	29	31
Ken. Tob.	12	13	Cash Boy	¾	1
Do. pfd.	92	95	Coda. Ariz.	1¼	1¾
Lake Tor.	1¾	2	Cons. Ariz.	1¾	2
Mallory	1	1¼	Cresc. Min.	1¾	2
Sub. Boat	10¾	11¾	Ehmk Cop.	2	2¼
U. S. Sm.	27¾	28¼	G. Monarch	¾	1
Do. pfd.	84	87	Howe	1¼	1¾
Ship—			Howe T.	1¼	1¾
Submarine	3	3¼	Ind. Mines	¾	1
Oil—			Kerr Lake	2½	2¾
Barnett	3-16	¼	Magma Cop.	24¾	25
Boston Wyo.	2	2¼	Magma Val.	2¾	2¾
Cosden	7	7¼	Motherlode	¾	1
Ft. Basin	3¾	4	Nev.	20	21
Ft. Oil	3¾	4	Do. new	2¾	3
Glenrock	3¾	4	Nipissing	8¾	8¾
Mex. Fed.	1¾	2	Ohio Cop.	1¾	1¾
Morrell Oil	22¾	23¼	Ray Hero.	2¼	2¾
M. W. Ref.	135	140	Success	6	8
Mutual Oil	11	11½	Tonn. Ex.	2¾	3
Do. pfd.	1¾	1 11-16	U. Eureka	¾	1
Northwest	47	49	U. Ex.	32¾	33
Okmulgee	1¾	1¾	Verdigris	1¾	1¾
Sapulpa	¾	¾	Yerington	1¾	1¾
Sequoyah	¾	9-16	Telegraph	10¼	11
			Hoyt	3½	3¾

QUOTATIONS ON OILS: NEW YORK FIGURES.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close			Close	
	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Anglo	17¼	17½	Prairie P.	270	272
Atl. Ref.	1260	1275	Solar Ref.	590	595
Borne S.	4000	4100		310	315
Buckeye	93	95		310	315
Chenault	200	225	S. W. P. P.	98	102
Continental	550	600	S. W. P. P.	98	102
Crescent	88	90	S. Ind. Ref.	700	750
Cumberland	140	150	S. Oil Ken.	550	550
Eureka	175	185	S. Oil La.	550	550
Galena	90	92	S. Oil Neb.	555	560
Do. pfd.	110	115	S. Oil N. Y.	225	230
Ill. Pipe	160	165	S. Oil N. J.	225	228
Ind. Pipe	100	105	S. Oil Ohio	460	480
Ind. Trans.	175	180	Union Tank	410	415
N. Y. Trans.	160	165	Union T. Car	114	116
N. Pipe	110	112	Vacuum	408	412
Ohio Oil	310	315	Washington	30	40
Prairie Oil	555	565			

New York Grain Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Wheat, spot, steady; No. 2 red, 2.34¾, track New York. Corn, spot, easy; No. 2 yellow and No. 2 white, 1.47¾, cost and freight New York. Oats, spot, firmer; standard, 68¾@69.

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STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—Following are today's quotations and sales on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange:

	Close	
	Bid.	Asked.
Imperial Loan 3½s	100½	
Associated Oil Co. 1st 5s, 1922	99	100
Cal. Gas & Electric Unif. & Ref. 5s, 1937	90½	91
Cal. Gas & Electric Corp. 1st and Ref. 5s	74½	
Natomas Co. of Cal. Gen. & Ref. 6s	100	101
Northern Cal. Power Co. Con. Mtg. 5s, 1949	90	
Pacific Gas & Electric Gen. & Ref. 5s, 1942	87½	88
Pacific Electric Ry. 5s, 1942	99	
Pacific Tel. & Tel. 1st Mtg. Col. Trust, 5s, 1937	94½	95
San Joaquin L. & P. 5s, 1945	92½	93
S. P. R. R. 1st Ref. 4s, 1955	89½	
Union Oil Co. 1st Lien 5s, 1931	102¾	
Utility Corp. Pref. Cl. A 5s	90¼	
Western Pacific Ry. Co. 1st, 1946		65

SALES.

Morning session—1000 Liberty 2d 4s at 94; 5000 do. at 93.98; 5000 do. 2d at 94; 1000 do. 2d at 94¼; 14,000 do. 2d 4¼s at 95; 21,500 do. 4th 4¼s at 94¼; 5000 do. 4th at 94½; 5000 Northern Cal. 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DINNER AS BAIT TO A WITNESS?

Man Accused of Embezzling Said to Have Offered It.

Prosecution's Request for Bail Increase Denied.

Venice Trustee Testifies in Case Against Fox.

Charging that George A. Fox, accused of fraudulently obtaining a $75,000 orange grove and more than $5000 from Mrs. Anna G. Walters, was attempting to influence prosecution witnesses, Deputy District Attorney Clark yesterday asked that the defendant's bail be increased. The bail is now $1200 and Mr. Clark wanted it made $3000, which was denied by the court.

Explaining his motion, Mr. Clark stated that on Thursday Fox asked Mrs. W. G. Lutz, wife of a witness in the case, to take dinner with him. This she refused, he said, and the defendant then said: "Step into my machine, it'll be to your interest to do so." Mrs. Lutz, said Mr. Clark, refused to respond to the invitation.

"These attempts on the part of the defendant to get the wife of one of our witnesses into an automobile," said Mr. Clark, "or to go out to dinner with him, and things of that sort, must end."

John L. Richardson, attorney for the defendant, said that such an attempt was a surprise to him, and that the purpose of bail is to guarantee a defendant's appearance in court. He said that his belief that the defendant would appear in court was shown in the fact that he had provided money for his bail.

W. G. Lutz, a Venice city Trustee, George Cleveland, James T. Brown and Frank Curtin, all of Venice, testified that Fox was with them when he visited the Bakersfield fair in October 1917. They said he drove them about Kern county for four days at a time when Fox and W. S. Stephenson said Mrs. Walters lost large sums on races. They said Mrs. Walters was not present and that Fox returned with them to Venice.

The defense testimony was completed yesterday. Rebuttal testimony probably will be completed today and the arguments may be heard by tomorrow.

IDENTIFIED AS THOMAS LITCH.

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he insisted on traveling with her.

Litch says he can prove that Mrs. Kimball knew of his first marriage before she attempted to secure her divorce, and that she for a time lived in Brookville, where he was residing with his first wife, and that it was then that the trip to New Mexico was planned. Litch stated that he had no intention of marrying Mrs. Kimball, but went with her to Albuquerque and was there forced into the marriage under threat of arrest.

Mrs. Kimball freely brands all of her husband's statements as false, and declared that she never knew that Litch was married, that she knew nothing of his being under an alias, until many months following their marriage, and that she did not lure him to New Mexico, but that he insisted on her marrying him as soon as she secured a divorce. She admitted having been in Brookville, but said that her husband stated that he had an aunt living there and told her that he had no other relatives in the East.

Telegraphic advices from Albuquerque last night stated that the second marriage of Litch is on record there, as having been performed by a justice of the peace September 18, 1917.

Litch himself admits the whole matter may result in his arrest on a bigamy charge.

"If I am arrested on a charge of bigamy," he said, "my wife here can be sure that she will never get another cent from me. I am through paying any more women and if worst comes to worst; and I am arrested I can advance as a defense that I was forced into the marriage by one well aware of all the facts in the case."

LAWYER IS ILL.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 3.—"My lawyer is still ill and, until I can see him, I will not discuss my plans for the future," said Mrs. Thomas Kimball Litch when asked over the long-distance telephone at her home in Brookville tonight whether she intends to prosecute her husband, who is now in Los Angeles attempting to adjust his domestic difficulties which resulted from his marriage with Mrs. Maurine Kendricks two years ago.

When told that Kimball had been identified as Litch, Mrs. Litch stated that she would see her counsel as soon as possible.

HOTEL MAN DIES.

Former Los Angeles Boniface Succumbs in New York.

W. M. Thelan, formerly one of the proprietors of the Stowell Hotels and recently connected with the Manhattan in New York, died yesterday at the latter hotel, according to news received by friends here.

Mr. Thelan sold his interests in the Stowell Hotel to Mr. Stowell last September and went East to take a responsible position with the Manhattan. He was a member of the Hotel Men's Association and a prominent Elk. He came here from Portland, Or., where he was connected with the Portland Hotel. He leaves a widow in New York and his mother and two sisters in Portland.

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NOW ENTERS 'NOTHER LADY

"You knew he was a married man?"

"I could not forget it."

"It was a fifty-fifty proposition, wasn't it?"

"Absolutely; we were mutual friends."

These questions and answers featured the cross-examination yesterday of Mrs. Buena Piper, a striking brunette, in the $10,000 alienation of affections' suit of Mrs. Mary Griffith against Mrs. Georgiana Gardner, before a jury in Judge McCormick's court. Mrs. Piper said she and Mr. Griffith became very good friends in a short time, as he told her he was separated from his wife; and she was also separated from her husband.

Mrs. Piper appeared in the case unexpectedly. She admitted that Mr. Griffith attracted her, at first, but that when she heard him boast of his conquest over Mrs. Gardner, after he had made ardent love to herself, and saw him in the company of his wife, her attitude changed.

Mrs. Piper first met Mr. Griffith at a dance, she said, and told him she was going north. He followed her to the railroad station, she testified, and tried to prevent her leaving.

"He tried to put his arm around me; he tried to kiss me," she testified. "While I was in San Francisco, he wrote me a dozen letters. On my return I met him at Fifth and Broadway. I saw him frequently. He was very affectionate toward me."

Later when Mrs. Piper became a patient at the Clara Barton Hospital she said that Mr. Griffith called every day to see her, always greeting her with a kiss.

"Once when he came he was drunk," she testified. "He wanted me to go for an automobile ride. I refused because the car belonged to Mrs. Gardner. He had told me she was an old woman stopping at a local hotel and that she was putting up his expenses.' He said he could not stand her any longer, and he wanted to come back to me. I learned he was married while I was in the hospital. He said he expected to be free from his wife, and he wanted me to get a divorce. He said he was trying to get rid of his wife."

The case will probably close today.

COURT REVERSES SELF.

First Finds Against Improvement Bonds, Then for Them.

Even Supreme courts sometimes reverse themselves, as is proved by the history of the action brought by W. C. Dillingham and others against Tax Collector Welch to enjoin him from collecting a special Bairdstown assessment tax levied for the purpose of meeting bonds issued under the Road Improvement Act of 1907.

The local Superior Court found for Dillingham and other plaintiffs at the original hearing. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court and the judgment was affirmed. Then Tax Collector Welch applied for a rehearing of the case, and, this being granted, the Supreme Court yesterday gave judgment in favor of him and affirmed the legality of the bonds. The value of the property in the assessment district is $28,420 and the aggregate amount of the bonds is $24,250.

In the case of Grant Clark against Tax Collector Welch, involving property in what is known as the Pasadena Villa tract, in Bairdstown, the judgment in the first-named case follows.

FEDERAL OFFICIALS BACK.

There was a general return to duty of Federal officials yesterday. Assistant United States District Attorney Moody, who had to go to bed with influenza during the pendency of the Nishimoto smuggling case, reported yesterday. Capt. Charles T. Connell resumed his work of Federal mediation and conciliation, after a week in a local hospital, where he had a minor operation on one of his eyes. Acting Immigration Inspector Conaty was at his post after a second bout with the flu. It is expected that United States District Judge Bledsoe, who has been recuperating from a second attack of flu, will be on the bench tomorrow morning. United States District Judge Trippet is about recovered from his attack of lumbago.

TO CONTINUE WAR GARDENS.

Council Expected to Vote Two Thousand for Seeds and Plants.

After hearing an urgent appeal from E. H. Kelly of the National War Gardens Committee for funds to support the local war gardens, the City Council indicated yesterday that it will appropriate approximately $2000 for the purchase of seeds and plants. It was stated that the local committee, under the direction of Mrs. J. T Anderson, had been very successful last year, and it was unanimously agreed that the money was well spent.

The matter will be definitely settled by the Finance Committee today.

WARRANTS ISSUED.

When three officials of the Crescent Creamery Company failed to appear before Police Judge Crawford in University Court yesterday afternoon, the magistrate issued bench warrants for their arrest and set bail at $200 apiece. The three men, Samuel A. W. Carver, vice-president and general manager, F. H. Bothell, superintendent of the milk department, and A. R. Harrison, night pasteurizing man, are charged with adulterating milk products in violation of section 14 of the city milk ordinance, and have had their hearing postponed several times.

SHIP-NAMING HONORS OURS.

San Francisco Admits Defeat in Loan Contest.

Our Quota Exceeded by Over Seven Million Dollars.

Bakersfield Winner of First Place in the District.

Names of the cities of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District whose records in the Fourth Liberty Loan drive win them the honor of naming United States ships were made public yesterday by Gov. James K. Lynch of the Federal reserve bank, with headquarters in San Francisco. In addition to naming the ships each of these cities will be asked to name sponsors for the chirstening ceremonies.

In class "A" Los Angeles wins the ship honor over San Francisco in percentage of oversubscription. Los Angeles, in the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign, sold Liberty Bonds to 246,001 people, while San Francisco had a subscribers' total of 241,266.

Seattle won the honors from Portland and Oakland in class "B."

In class "C" Spokane won, with Salt Lake, Tacoma and Honolulu finishing in the order named.

Pasadena and Berkeley won the honors in class "D," with San Jose, San Diego, Ogden and Sacramento finishing in the order named.

The highest percentage of oversubscription made by any of the cities in the five classes was that made by Bakersfield, with subscriptions amounting to 254 per cent. of its quota.

The cities of the Twelfth Federal Reserve District were divided into five classes, according to population. One ship is to be named by each of the winning cities in class A, B and C; two ships by the winning city in class "D," and five ships by cities of class "E."

In announcing the result of this Liberty Loan contest, Gov. Lynch also made public the final report of the subscriptions to the Fourth Liberty Loan, Los Angeles, with an official quota of $41,666,900, is credited officially with subscriptions to date totalling $48,686,350, which is 116.85 per cent. of the quota.

With a quota of $107,876,500, San Francisco subscribed $110,836,150, or a percentage of 102.74.

Pasadena, with a quota of $3,225,850, is officially reported for $4,020,150 in subscriptions, or 124.21 per cent. of its quota.

San Diego has a subscription of $5,192,600 against a quota of $4,697,550, which is 110.53 per cent.

Reports on other Southern California cities are as follows:

Long Beach, subscriptions, $2,796,000, quota, $2,303,050, or 121.40 per cent.; Riverside, subscriptions, $970,850, quota $809,300, percentage 119.96; San Bernardino, subscriptions $1,254,050, quota $1,070,900, or 117.10 per cent.; Santa Barbara, subscriptions $2,003,200, quota $1,714,000, or 116.89 per cent.; Redlands, subscriptions $820,550, quota $745,500, or 110.07 per cent., and Pomona, subscriptions $674,350, quota $598,900, or 112.59 per cent.

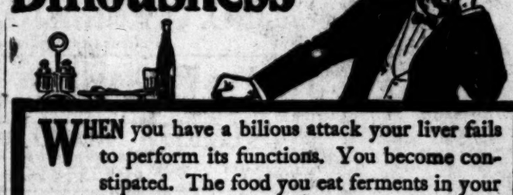
TO REPORT ON SCHOOL.

Supervisors Want to Hear About the Ventura Institution.

At the suggestion of Supervisor Bean, the Supervisors yesterday asked Mrs. Cora D. Lewis, sent by the board to be present at the hearing of the charges involving the California School for Girls at Ventura, to make a report of her investigation.

The feeling among the members of the board is that there should be some adjustment made in the school.

Biliousness



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